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Testimony in the Shields Case.
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pages in the report. Rumor About the San Francisco. San Francisco, Dec. 27.—It was rumored that the cruiser San Francisco, unsatisi which left here at 1 o'clock yesterday Myers.

with sealed orders, would stop at Mon-terey for target practice. A dispatch from there says that she has not been sighted, and it is now believed she has gone directly to Acapulco.

Egan Did Not Attend the Inauguration. More Rumors of Conspiracies of the

Followers of Balmaceda. Washington Officials Scout the Idea

of War.

ninent Chilean Suggests That the ole Controversy be Submitted to the United States Supreme Court for Settlement

y Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—[By the Associated Press.] The Herald's Valparaiso special says: "The Chilean authorities appear to regard unfavorably Egan's absence from the inaugural ceremonies of President Montt. They are at a loss to explain it, and believe it was intended as an act of discourtesy.

"Secret meetings of Balmaceda's friends have been held in Santiago and several points between there and Val-paraiso. Nothing has come of these gatherings except the wrecking of an express train on Christmas night with a number of prominent naval officers aboard. That this was done at the in stigation of Balmacedists is not proven n the slightest degree, but their oppo nents lay it to their account. The police are still at work trying to fasten the guilt upon some one, but have not succeeded yet in discovering any guilty

party.
"The cruiser Esmeralda arrived today
"The Cruiser Esmeralda arrived today "The cruiser Esmeralda arrived today with the bodies of Alberto Edwards. Enrique Vaiders Vergara and other officers drowned at the time the Blanco Encalada was sunk by torpedoes in Caldera Bay or killed in the fights at Iqui-

que. They will be given military and naval funerals.

"Señor Kamon Viel, a prominent citizen of Santiago, in a letter to Ferrocarril says that Chile's differences with the United States can be easily settled. He suggests submitting the whole mat-ter to the United States Supreme Court, and declares that in spite of contrary statements in many American papers Chileans feel kindly disposed toward the United States. He adds that Chileans feel aggreed on account of the willfully incorrect official reports of American representatives. He says the Baltimore inquiry will prove these reports colored.

reports colored.
"Nothing definite is known as to the "Nothing definite is known as to the composition of the new cabinet. General feeling among members of Congress seems to be that there should be a powerful representation of the Conservative party in the ministry."

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Santiago correspondent of the Times says: "The amnesty bill has passed. Sixty thousand Chileans witnessed the declaring of Admiral Montt President. He took the oath of office in the presence of a bril-

oath of office in the presence of a brilliant official gathering, and then proreceived by the prelates. Salvos of ar-tillery greeted the various ceremonies. Public rejoicing continued till past mid-night. Perfect order was maintained

WAR NOT PROBABLE.

ful Settlement,
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—[Special to THE TIMES.] I have the highest authority for the statement that there is not the slightest apprehension in official cirhave any trouble with Chile. The assurances which have been given the President within the past three days that Chile will act justly are so earnestly made that they are not

The ridiculous stories telegraphed from here about the destination of the cruiser San Francisco are almost with foundation. The orders were issued to Admiral Brown one week ago to pro-ceed to San Diego and remain there for target practice. Monterey Bay is too much exposed for winter target practice. As a matter of fact, Admiral Brown requested permission to go to San Diego.

prehension of any interruption of dip-lomatic relations between the two gov-ernments. The Chilean Congress convenes on January 5th, at which time the new cabinet will be confirmed, which will be very conservative. That there has been much ill feeling among the lower classes against the United States is not denied, but the government is sufficiently powerful to prevent any hostile demonstrations against Americans. The government of Chile will not be driven into war with the United States, because it fully realizes what the result would be. An intelligent representative of that country stated some days ago that England and Germany could not aid them if they desired, as they had enough to attend to at home and on the Continent.

Admiral Brown is expected to reach San Diego on the San Francisco on the 28th inst.

tions of the officers and sailors of the Keweenaw regarding the attack on Fireman Patrick Shields by the Valparaiso police. Charles R. Malcom, first engineer of the Keweenaw. testified that Shields was a quiet sober, respectable man, who would give no reason for a quarrel. The terrible beating he received seems to have impaired or destroyed his memory.

Other testimony was taken. All will be completed tomorrow and will be sent to Washington on the evening train. There will be nearly 200 typewritten pages in the report.

Decline to Talk.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Secretaries
Blaine and Tracy both said tonight that they had no information for the press bearing on Chilean affairs. At the Chilean legation there had been no cable gram received with respect to the inau-guration of the President, although one is expected.

LEFT THE TRACK.

A Senta Pe Train Derailed—Many Passengers Injured.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27.—|By the Associated Press.| The Santa Fé vestibule limited train which left Chicago on Sat-urday evening was derailed at Bear Creek near Newcombe, seventy miles east of here, this morning. No one was killed but several were injured. The engine, baggage and express car passed over the small bridge safely, but two chair cars, two Pullman sleepers, and a

chair cars, two Pullman sleepers, and a dining car was derailed, going down the steep embatkment.

The injured are: Conductor Woodworth and William Kaston of Chicago; Charles Dempsey of Mansfield, O.; Mrs. Eliza Toomey of Marion, Kan.; C. W. Scott of Chicago; J. R. Whiteford of Topeka, Kan.; William Decker; wife and two children; Topeka: W. J. Cress and Mrs. Nellie A. Watson of Topeka; D. Smith of Chicago. Some of the above are thought to be fatally injured. The cause of the accident is unknown. The track seemed to be in good condi-

The track seemed to be in good condi-tion, a heavy freight train having passed over a short time before. It is thought the draw bar of the front chair car may have fallen and caught the truck of the same car, thus causing the

Horse-thieves Busy in Montana HELENA (Mont.,) Dec. 27.—Horse thieves have been operating in the Yellowstone country on a gigantic scale during the past month. Ranchers and rangers along the Wyoming line esti-mate the losses at 500 head. A reward of \$2500 has been offered for the arrest and conviction of the thieves. It is thought the rustlers are part of the gang that is causing so much trouble in Wyoming.

SKIRMISH WITH GARZA.

Mexican Troops Have Another Brush With the Outlaws.

Capt. Hardle in Pursuit of a Part of the Band-Gen. Stanley Taking Vigorous Measures in the Border Trouble.

y Telegraph to The Times. New Orleans, Dec. 27.—By the Associated Press. The Times-Democrat's San Antonio special says: "Dr. Plu-tarco Ornalas, Mexican consul here, today received a dispatch from Laredo which states that an engagement took place last night between Garza's followers and Mexican troops at San Itenacio's ranch, this side of the border. between Carrizo and Laredo. The revolutionists assembled in large force on the Texas bank and opened a steady fire at the troops across the river, which was returned. The battle re-

sulted in one Mexican being killed and number on each side wounded. "The fact that a force of Garza's men was in that locality is evidence that the novement is spreading rapidly, and the necessity for better military protection of the Texas frontier is made apparent. There is a large force of troops at the post here, but they will not be ordered out unless it is absolutely necessary.

CAPT. BOURKE NOT HEARD FROM received from Capt. Bourke, of the Third Cavalry, at military headquarters here Cavairy, at military neadquarters here for the last forty-eight hours. He is in command of Fort Ringgold, which Garza has threatened to capture if it becomes necessary for his men to secure supplies. It is the belief of Gen. Stanley that the telegraph lines are down between Fort Ringgold and Browpsville, or else Capt. Bourke is absent in pursuit of the revolutionists.

ORDERS FROM WASHINGTON.

ORDERS FROM WASHINGTON. "A telegram from the Secretary of War ordering that every effort be ex-erted to bring the border difficulties to an end as quickly as possible, and that the Federal troops shall make as many captures of revolutionists as possible, was received by Gen. Stanley today. He immediately telegraphed to the dif-ferent commanders along the border to secure the names of as many offenders as possible and to have warrants issued

as possible and to have warrants issued for their arrest.

"Indirect word concerning the movements of Capt. Hardie, of the Third Cavalry, were received here this morning and relieved the anxiety as to his safety. He is pushing hard after a detachment of 100 of Garza's men and will either have them chased across the river into Mexico or brought to a more critical situation within the next forty-eight hours." eight hours."

FOUR OF GARZA'S MEN CAPTURED.

The Times-Democrat's Laredo special The Times Democrat's Laredo special says: "It is reported that faur prisoners of Gara's men. captured near El Vartno, Mexico, by government troops, were brought to New Laredo today. It is understood the federal authorities will endeavor to secure a confession from them in order to implicate the leaders of the revolutionary movement. As they are traitors, if they do not confess they will probably be shot.

"The State rangers who left Laredo yesterday joined Capt. Hardie's command of United States troops today. A United States Government wagon came into the city today from Hardie's troops after more supplies, but nothing was

after more supplies, but nothing was learned from the officers as to whether they brought news or not, and the sup position is that Hardie has not been near the revolutionists.

Glove Contest Arranged.

New Orleans, Dec. 27.—A glove contest between Andy Bowen of this city and Austin Gibbons, "the Jersey Boy," has been arranged by the Metropolitan Club for December 29. It is both Gib-bons' and Bowen's first fight since the unsatisfactory goes with McAuliffe and

Indemnity Granted for the Outrages.

Another Battle with Rebels-Iwo Thousand Men Killed.

Ex-Minister Tirard's Tirade Against the McKinley Tariff. story from Rome by Way of L That the United States will Pay

Indemnity for the Mafia

Lynching. Sy Telegraph to The Times.

Paris, Dec. 27.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] The Chinese legation here has published an account of the measures taken by the Chinese govern-ment to satisfy Europe in connection with the recent anti-foreign riots. Indemnities amounting to £10,000 have been paid to the missions and families of two Englishmen who were killed. Four rioters have been executed and others punished. Authors of anti-foreign pamphlets during the future will be condemned to death Several members of the Kolaohui secret society have been executed. The recent Mongolian rising is described as being animated "merely by a desire for plunder." Singapone, Dec. 27.—Pekin official advices report severe fighting with rebels December 3 to 7 in which 2000 rebels were killed and fifty leaders be-Four rioters have been executed and

rebels were killed and fifty leaders be-headed.

GOSSIP FROM PARIS. Ex-Minister Tirard's Criticism of the Mc-Kinley Tariff Law.
Paris. Dec. 27.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] Tirard, formerly French Minister of Finance, in an interview on the subject of negotiatians for a commercial treaty between France and the United States, said: "Treaties of this kind are useful as a modus vivendi be-

kind are useful as a modus vivendi between countries where tariffs are so high that they paralyze trade. A treaty with the United States will be extremely opportune and go a long way to insure enthusiastic participation in the Chicago fair. The McKinley law has so much harmed our trade that I would favor going to the United States for staples only when it is impossible to obtain what we need elsewhere. The McKinley bill is a barbarous piece of legislation, and has caused great ill-feeling in France. The whole of the law is due to an error of judgment. The Americans argued that as their exports are natural products which other nations must have they would be sure to find buyers, and so could shut their to find buyers, and so could shut their ports to foreign manufacturers. This reasoning is fallacious. Look how England has developed since she adopted free trade. If the United States would adopt a like policy America would soon receive the market of the whole world. govern the markets of the whole world. In France, where it is impossible to develop resources further, there is some excuse for protection, but not in America, where the possibilities of development are unbounded."

The Pervillet Committee of the Development are unbounded.

The Royalist Committee of the Department of Finisterre intends to ask the Archbishop of Aix to be a candidate for the seat in the Chamber of Deputies made vacant by the death of Bishop Freppel.

An express train from Paris to Brus-sells collided with a freight train near Mons today. Ten persons were injured.

L'Eclair states that De Brazza at the

RATHER IMPROBABLE.

A Report that Uncle Sam Will Pay for the Mafia Lynching. LONDON, Dec. 27 .- [By Cable and Associated Press.] The Chronicle's Rome correspondent says: "The United States Government has agreed to pay the indemnity which Italy demands on account of the New Orleans affair in or-

der to settle the dispute." Commercial Treaties Agitated BRUSSELS, Dec. 27.—The agitation here against Belgium's entering into a treaty of commerce with Germany is declares that despite opposition the treaty will be adopted.

London, Dec. 27.—The Chronicle's Berlin correspondent states that Russia has informally intimated readiness to

negotiate a treaty of commerce with London, Dec. 27 .- The Times' Zanzibar dispatch says that Commissioner Johnston and Capt. MacGuire had several battles with slave caravans in British Central Africa. They released the slaves, punished the raiders, and com-pelled them to sign an agreement to abandon raiding.

bandon raiding. The Bothnia's Heavy Mail. LONDON, Dec. 27.-The Bothnia sailed from Queenstown for New York today. Her mails amount to 1757 sacks, the largest quantity of mail mat

ter ever sent across the Atlantic.

Revolt in Brazil RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 27 .- The revolt in Destirro, the capital of Santa Catharino, aiming at the deposition of the gover-nor, has extended to several other parts of the province.

International Skating.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A dispatch from Hamar, Norway, gives an account of an international five-mile skating contest. A Norwegian named Hagan won in 15

POINTS OF THE MORNING'S NEWS

Chile is offended because Minister Egan did not attend Montt's inauguration....Two persons were killed by a train at Santa Ana....A party has been lost in the Sierras and probably frozen to death ... It is again raining up north....Mexican troops have had another encounter with Garza's band ... Murderous cranks have made attempts on the lives of Cornelius Vanderbilt and George W. Childs ...

China is punishing rebels with great severity ... There has been a bad accident on the Santa Fe road in Kansas Ex-Minister Tirard of France denounces the McKinley tariff law. Several Eastern detectives are in the city on ome mysterious errand A Los Angeles woman has been victimized by a San Francisco bigamist ... A lively little fight took place at Westlake park The baseball game resulted in another victory for the visitors.

The Thetis is under orders to proceed to the coast of Lower California and continue the surveys begun there last year. She has been ready to sail for some time, but was unable to leave on account of not having enougu officers.

Killed ifis Sons. VIENA Dec. 27 -A wealthy man named Hambeek, of Gratz, shot his sons, aged 6 and 7 years, and then com-mitted suicide, having an idea that his sons, who stammered, had a hereditary taint of insanity.

Swindling the Starving. St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—It has been discovered that flour for the famine re-

lief, which the municipality purchased at an exorbitant rate, was adulterated until unfit for food. An Avalanche's Deadly Work. grne, Dec. 27.—It has been learned that three men have been killed in Genie Pass. They tried to cross the

Tobacco Monopoly Abolished.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A dispatch from
Teheran says that the Shah has issued proclamation ratifying the abolition of the tobacco monopoly

ROME, Dec. 27.-The tomb erected by Pope Leo to Pope Innocent was unveiled today with great pomp. Declare for Mitre.
ATRES, Dec. 27.—Roca and Pellegrini declare that Mitre is the only

Pope Innocent's Monument Unvelled.

possible candidate for the Presidency. STRUCK BY AN ENGINE.

Frightful Accident at a Santa Ana Crossing.

Two Well-known Citizens Hurled from Their Buggy and Fatally Injured. Both Dying Within a

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27 .- [Special.]

Short Time. By Telegraph to The Times.

Another terrible accident happened this evening on the Santa Fé Railroad, as the 4:14 overland and Los Angeles local trains were entering the city, in which two Santa Ana citizens received fatal injuries. W. B. Garlock and Samuel Rogers were driving from Orange to Santa Ana, and while en route the trains, pulled by the overland engine from Orange to Santa Ana, passed them just before the Seventime the engine was almost upon them, and just as they were fairly on the track the engine struck them, making a total wreck of the buggy and hurling both men to the ground on each side of the track. Both men were gathered up and taken to the depot, where medical assistance was summoned?

Garrock died on a blanket in the bag gage-room at 5:15. Rogers was removed to his mother's home on Fourth street, where he is receiving the best of attention, but the general supposition is that he will not live more than a few hours at the farthest. His skull is crushed just back of the forehead and several fractures on top and back of the head are sufficient to cause fatal results. Rogers is a young harnessmaker, about 25 years old, and has lived in this city for the past several years. Garlock was formerly in the livery business with E. D. Waffle. He was 42 years old and had been a resident of this city for the past five years.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.-[Special.]
Rogers died at 8:30 o'clock. He has a sister who is the wife of H. G. iams, of the Temple street cable, line in Los Angeles.
This accident has long been expected

from the dangerous manner of backing up locomotives so close behind the regular passenger train. It is impossible to hear the engine over the noise of the overland. Numerous hairbreadth escapes have occurred, people waiting for the overland to pass and then crossing, to be almost caught by the light engine backing up. The Board of Trade of Santa Ana shortly since requested the Santa Fé to remove the junction to Santa Ana to avoid this dangeron habit. It is understood that this mat ter is under consideration by the Santa Fé at present

The Pontiac Asylum Fac. GRAND RAPIDS (Mich.,) Dec. 27. Democrat's Pontiac special says that the situation at the burned insane

A Norwegian named Hagan won in 15 minutes 11 seconds.

Officers for the Thetts.

San Francisco, Dec. 27.—Naval officers here say that the five officers referred to in a Washington dispatch as having left there secretly for San Francisco must be intended for the Thetis.

Cry of "Fire" in an English Theater.

Many Persons Trampled Under Foot in a Rush for the Exits. Ten Unfortunates Crushed to Death

in the Wild Scramble. Most of the Victims Children-Acts of

of the Audience-Piteous

By Telegraph to The Times.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—[By Cable and Associated Press. | The theater in Gates-Durham, was last night the scene of a frightful panic in which, according to reports received, at least ten people were killed outright and

any were injured.

The sight of a small blaze caused by a man dropping a lighted match on the sawdust-covered floor, caused some one to start a cry of "Fire!" Immediately there was a wild rush for the doors, which, owing to the savage scramble, became so blocken that only a few succeeded in getting out. The staircase leading from the gallery also became blocked. The check taker, who attempted to restrain the crowd, was crushed to death under foot.

When the wants subsided the bodies

crushed to death under foot.

When the panic subsided the bodies of nine children whose lives had been literally crushed out were found lying on the staircase. A constable who came to assist in the work of rescue, while dragging out a body wedged among the struggling people discovered that it was the body of his own son.

The attraction for the evening was the pantomime Aladdin, the theater being literally packed. The shout of "fire" was raised at 10:30 o'clock and instantly there was dire confusion, in

pass and were swallowed up in an ava-"fire" was raised at 10:30 o'clock and instantly there was dire confusion, in which above all was heard the shrieks of women. Many women also fainted. The lessee of the house, immediately stepping on the stage, shonted to the audience to remain seated, assuring them that there was no real danger. Many others attempted to restrain the mad rush for the doors. Most of those on the first floor escaped. It was a sudden bend in the gallery staircase which caused the fearful jam. People who had fallen and were lying in a heap, screaming and groaning, in a heap, screaming and groaning, were trampled upon. At last so many struggling people had fallen that all the passage for exit was effectually blocked by the mass of writhing human beings, and those still remaining on their feet were forced to seek other means of

escape.

The occasion was made doubly memorable by several acts of heroism
One man, who occupied a gallery seat, jumped from the gallery railings to the balcony below and slid thence to the stage, all the time holding a child with his teeth. Other men rescued several

women.

Meanwhile the fire was easily quenched. The police sought medical aid and assisted in extricating the vicaid and assisted in extricating the victims from the staircase—a matter of the utmost difficulty. One child, after calling out piteously, "Save me, save me!" died before it could be reached. News of the disaster spread rapidly and soon thousands of frantic people were rushing to the scene to ascertain the fate of relatives or Kriends. Within a few hours all the dead were identified. With the exception of one all were between the ages of 18 and 18. Members of the company escaped ig

head of an expedition of 1200 persons, 600 being Senegal troops and sixty Europeans, with plenty of provisions and firearms, left Libreville in the French Congo colony November 7, for the purpose of marching to Lake Tchad.

passed them just before the Seventeentheast sententh-street crossing was reached. A local engine was following the train a short distance back, but was not seen by the occupants of the buggy until they started across the track. At that time the engine was almost upon them, pending an inquiry.

Chattanooga's Great Eire CHATTANOOGA (Tenn.,) Dec. 27 .- To day the full extent of the destruction of yesterday's fire is apparent. The prinyesterday's nie is apparent. The principal retail business houses of Chattanoga are in ruins. In all nineteen storerooms were destroyed with the stories above them. As soon as the losses are adjusted the whole area will be rebuilt with handsome structures.

Mrs. Hurst and Miss Johnstone, whe jumped from the third story windows, are doing well. They may recover. A miss Stevens, employed on the third floor of Loveman's. is reported missing.

Boston, Dec. 27.—The most disasrous fire which has visited the city since Thanksgiving, 1889, occurred tonight, burning the brick building Nos. 133-141 Federal street and damaging it to the extent of \$125,000. The building was occupied by Parker, Holmes & Co. and Hosmer, Codding & Co., whose combined loss is estimated at \$225,000. Fireman Louchland fell form the except of the street was a street of the from the second story, sustaining fatal injuries. Several other firemen were slightly injured. The cause of the fire

Two Runaway Chicago Girls.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—No tidings have been received by Mrs. Van Schouck of Dora Van Schouck and Alice Parker who went to New York Monday night. A. J. Parker, Alice's father, left for that city last night to bring the girls back. It now seems that the escapade had been planned for some time and the girls made all preparations for it. Hawley and Curtis are still locked up

Killed by an Officer.

LAKE LINDEN (Mich.,) Dec. 27.—Two
Finlanders brandishing knives in the
street were ordered to desist by Marshal
Mapaate and Justice Brule. The Fins stabled the officer and the latter fired at them, instantly killing Alexander Perolla and fatally shooting Michael Korila Kotila.

Sawtelle's Death Due to Apoplexy.
CONCORD (N. H.,) Dec. 27.—An autopsy on the body of Sawtelle today effectually disposes of the suicide theory and substantiates the opinion of the prison officials that death was caused by apoplexy.

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The present week promises to be unusually gay in social circles. No less than four of Los Angeles' fair daughters will be led to the matrimonial altar; there will be three balls, a concert and several large receptions. Altogether the New Year will dawn on a whirl of gayety in the fashionable world.

SILVER WEDDING.

The most notable society event of the The most notable society event of the past week occurred on Saturday evening at the charming home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McKoon, corner Orange and Kip streets, on the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Fully 250 invitations were extended, but many were unable to accept on account of the prevalence of la grippe. Notwithstanding this, the rooms were thronged with guests and scores of letters of regret and congratulations were received, many of them coming from Omaha, the former home of Mr. and Mrs. McKoon.

Omana, the former home was made with Mrs. McKoon.

The rooms were handsomely decorated, the parlors hung with smilax, ferns and graceful pepper boughs studded with white roses. The cozy little study at the right of the hall was a charming nock with its artistic decorations in yellow, a network of smilax falling like a veil over the window draperies. The dining-room was brilliant with scarlet blossons in a setting of green. Mr. and Mrs. McKoon were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. S. Hawver, old Omaha friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Forrester. Mr. and Mrs. Sweet and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ross. The bride of twenty-five years, on whose fresh, bright face time has lingered lightly, wore an elegant evening dress of soft lace about the throat. During the evening the busy hum of little study at the right of the hall was a

During the evening the busy hum of conversation was hushed long enough to conversation was nushed long enough to listen to a fine piano solo by Mrs. Hillman, a song by Mrs. H. L. Hawver, whose glorious voice filled the house with melody, and a duet beautifully sung by Mmes. J. H. Book and W. E. Beeson.

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Rev. R. S. Cantine, for five years the pastor of the host and hostess, was present and made one of his characteristic speeches full of pleasantry, at times eliciting peals of laughter from the guests, as he referred to the rhyming tendencies of the groom, etc. Turning at length from this lighter vein, in a few earnest words he expressed on behalf of himself and the company gathered the high esteem and

vein, in a few earnest words he expressed on behalf of himself and the company gathered the high esteem and affection in which Mr. and Mrs. McKoon are held. He concluded his remarks by uniting again in marriage the couple who for twenty-five years have lived together in harmony, introducing some extraordinary propositions decidedly in favor of the bride, who cheerfully assented, but which met with mute remonstrance from the groom, who shook his head rather doubtiully.

In a side room were displayed the presents, comprising a quantity of elegant silver nut baskets, fruit knives, card cases, napkin rings, vases and everything in the way of useful and beautiful ware. Many gifts were from Omaha friends. A beautiful collection of Hawaiian Island ferns in a silver frame, gathered and pressed by a friend in Honolulu. and a piece of linen woven eighty-four years ago and etched by an

in Honolulu, and a piece of linen woven eighty-four years ago and etched by an aunt of the hostess, 88 years old, were valued gifts.

Refreshments were served from a handsomely laid table in the diningroom to the guests who were seated about the room, a coterie of pretty young girls, friends of Mr. and Mrs. Mc-Koon, deftly serving the delicacies, all of which were prepared under the personal supervision of the hostess. The bride's cake was ornamented by a ladder, on one round of which was inscribed in silvered letters '25 years,' and everyone echoed the wish that life's and everyone echoed the wish that life's ladder might lengthen to the round above whereon should shine in gilded type the fifty years of lhe golden wed-

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An elegant lunch was served to the
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JUDGE WALLACE.

He Makes Some Remarks to the Grand Jury,

Defending His Method of Impaneling It

And Raking the Supreme Court Over the Coals.

A Logical and Forcible Argument, Mixe Some Blistering Sarcasm—The Forty Statesmen of the Senate.

The great length of the address read from the bench by Judge Wallace of San Francisco last Wednesday, when he dismissed the grand jury in accordance with the mandate of the Supreme Court, precludes its publication in full, but the following excerpts will give an intelligent idea of the argument:

After the clerk of the Court had received the report of the grand jury, Judge Wal lace spoke from the bench as follows:

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You came here as a grand jury representing the people, and to respond to their
claim that the most open and shameless
legislative crimes that ever disgraced the
civilization of an American State should be
investigated; that the truth or falsity of
charges which have, at home and abroad,
covered California with obloquy should the
demonstrated; to inquire how it is brought
about that in the apportionment and distribution of the necessary burdens of govennment—the imposition of taxation—those
burdens and that taxation are imposed
upon the comparatively poor man, who,
out of his poverty, must pay, while the
rich and their abundance are practically
exempted from their just share.

The hopes of the people that you would
prove equal to this important duty were
high and apparently well founded, nor
have these hopes so far as you are concerned proven flusory; but in the midst of
your labors a judgment of the Supreme
Court of the State has been pronounced,
the necessay effect of which is that your
investigation must cease—must be discontinued—that you are not a grand jury and
must retire. It is under these circumstances that we meet today, and for the
last time. It is my duty to say something
to you before you go.

THE CASE STATED.

In impaneling the grand jury the court
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In impaneling the grand jury the court here made an order that Henry H. Scott, Esq., be appointed as an "elisor" to sum-mon nine good and lawful men to complete

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In the case of Eiwood Bruner, lately before the Supreme Court upon his application for a writ of prohibition, that court held the appointment of Scott invalid. Say the court: "Our conclusion is that the court below had no authority to appoint said Scott to select grand jurors, because there was no case to which the power of appointing an clisor applied."

The statute (Code of Civil Procedure, sec. 242) provides that if of the persons trawn and summoned to act as grand jorors a number 'less than nineteen are present, the panel may be filled as provided in sec. 226 of this code."

Turning now to said sec. 226, it is there

Turning now to said sec. 226, it is there provided that in order to fill an incompleted panel the Court may draw the required names out of the box, or direct the sheriff

panel the Court may draw the required names out of the box, or direct the sheriff or an elisor forthwith to summon them. Now, on Monday, the 17th day of last August, the contingency thus provided for by this statute did unquestionably occur here. Of the persons theretofore drawn and summoned to act as grand jurors only eighteen—less than nineteen—did appear here, and of the eighteen—so appearing, eight having been excused for cause, it became necessary to summon nine other good anni lawful men to complete the panel of hineteen required for a grand jury. Mr. Scott was appointed an elisor for that purpose, and, having been first duly sworn, did subsequently make return here of the names of nine good and lawful men summoned by him to serve as grand jurors, and who, being personally present, were lumediately thereafter sworn of the grand jury in the presence of the Court here, and, a foreman having been appointed, the charge of the Court was delivered and then the grand jury retired to consider of the business to come before it.

which is refers," and that the impaneling of grand juries is one of those subjects not disputed in any quarter: in fact the entire ninth article of the Code of Civil Procedure (secs. 241, 242 and 243) is exclusively devoted to that subject; that article is superscribed, distinctly marked, conspicuously labeled "Of Impaneling Grand Juries." This, considered by the light of the fourth section of the same code just cited, proves, if language can prove anything, that it is that code, and that code alone, which is to be taken as establishing the law of impaneling grand juries. The Civil Code admittedly contains no reference to that subject—neither does the Political Code, as will be presently shown; but in order to formulate a plan of impaneling grand juries which should be complete in itself, in addition to the provisions prescribed by itself in its ninth chapter, the Code of Civil Procedure expressly incorporates and adopts, and for this purpose reenacts, the provisions found in the Penal Code on the same subject—thus: "Thereafter such proceedings shall be had in impaneling a grand jury as as are prescribed in part 2 of the Penal Code." (Code of Civil Procedure, sec. 243, supra.)

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Judge Wallace reinforces his position at considerable length, showing that it was entirely unnecessary to have an affidavit filed showing the disqualification of the sheriff or coroner to act as elisor, because such disqualification was based upon facts judicially known to the court and stated from the bench at the time that Elisor Scott was appointed. He holds that, inasmuch as the acts of the sheriff and coroner were both subject to review, it was manifestly both subject to review, it was manifestly improper that these officers should have anything to do with selecting the mem-

anything to do with selecting the members of the jury.

Judge Wallace then proceeds to consider the want of consistency of the Supreme Court when its latest decision is compared with former findings in parallel cases. He says:

IRREGULARITIES THAT WERE NOT MATERIAL.

But let it be supposed for the purpose of the argument here that all that has been now said in reference to the law applicable here is a profound mistake, and that this was mot a case in the language of the Supreme Court to "which the power of appointing an elisor applied;" what then boes it follow that a writ of prohibition may issue upon the one hand and the conditions under which a writ of prohibition should issue by which the entire proceedings here are arrested, and the court and the grand jury forbidden to proceed with the investigation of crimes alleged to have been committed? By no means. These mistakes or misprisons even if made are but tregularities; they do not affect the furbularities, they do not affect the surface of general criminal jurisdiction. These mistakes or misprisons even if made are but tregularities; they do not affect the surface of general criminal jurisdiction its passed and appeal was not a remedy sufficiently plain, speedy and adequate for him. But under proceed with the well-known may issue upon the one hand and the conditions under which it must be refused on the other.

This situation is scarcely reconcilable with the well-known maxim of that common law which has been invoked in support of the overthrow of the grand jury here. The maxim is as follows: "Let uno of omnes alloquitur.—the law speaks to all with the same voice.

The writ of prohibition had been denied to Strouse, and properly denied, because he had a plain, speedy and adequate for him. But under the proceed with the well-known maxim of that common law which has been invoked in support of the overthrow of the grand jury here. The maxim is as follows: "Let uno of omnes alloquitur.—the law speaks to all with the same voice.

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ments of the tow must go in support of its jurisdiction.

For illustration, one of the indictments against Bruner charged him with the commission of perjury here in the city and county of San Francisco. That is a felony: and a grand jury impaneled and sworn in a course of general criminal jurisdiction and of unquestionable jurisdiction over such a felony committed, presented their indictment against him. Thereupon he applied to the Supreme Court that all further proceedings be prohibited, and that he be discharged without the trial the law had provided for in such a case. His petition for the writ of prohibition pointed out certain matters occurring in the impanelment of the grand jury, but which, if they had in fact occurred could not in the nature of things amount to more than their regular exercise of the jurisdiction of a jurisdiction not conferred upon this court by law. That such matters cannot be jurisdiction of conferred upon this court by law. That such matters cannot be jurisdiction of the conferred upon this court by law. That such matters cannot be jurisdiction and in their consequences is plain to every lawyer, by remembering that if Bruner had been tried and had not been convicted and had taken an appeal to the Supreme Court the judgment against him would have been connirmed by that court, if no other supposed error was shown except such error as is put forth in his petition to the Supreme Court for a writ of prohibition. That proposition of law was settled in the Southwell case—most quoted and apparently least understood.

THE SOUTHWELL CASE.

In the Southwell case it appeared in the record on appeal that he had been indicted by a grand jury, the names of which though formally drawn out of the box had never been placed in the box according to law. By statute of that date—the statute of 1863—it was made the duty of the Board of Supervisors would appear to have been done by the clerk—an unauthorized person who assumed to himself the functions of the board in that respect; the trial court found that

criminal court of this city and county, from whose judgment that appeal had been taken?

Will the Supreme Court in any case affirm a judgment of conviction rendered by a trial court in which it appears by the record that the trial court had no juris iction? Certainly not. All the decisions of the Supreme Court—they are too numerous to be cited here in detail—nave followed the decision thus given in the Southwell case nearly twenty years ago, and followed it without the alightest deviation from its doctrine until now in the Bruner case. At a single bound the Supreme Court has passed from the proposition that such irregularities do not constitute even an error for which the judgment should be reversed on appeal, to the other extreme—to the proposition that although such proceedings would not be reversed for such an error, still they will in such case be arrested by prubbition as being in excess of the jurisdiction of the trial court.

The Supreme Court declares it has now discovered an irregularity which, though confessedly not amounting to a reversible error, still does amount to a lotal want of jurisdiction in the trial court to proceed with the case.

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It leave the further examination of such a nondescript in law as that is to those whose curiosity about the mysteries of law may prompt them to further reflection and examination.

Interteen required for a grand jury. Mr. Scott was appointed an elisor for that purpose, and, having been first duly sworn, aid subsequently make return here of the names of nine good and lawful men summoned by him to serve as grand jurors, and who, being personally present, were immediately thereafter sworn of the grand jury in the presence of the Court here, and, a foreman having been appointed, the charge of the Court was delivered and then the grand jury retired to consider of the business to come before it.

AN ELISOR REQUIRED.

It is thus made plain to even the dullest comprehension that the precise condition of fact in which the statute had provided that an elisor might be appointed had arisen and, further, that in making the appointment, as well as in each one of the other several steps taken in completing the panel, the provisions of the statute were carefully considered here and followed with the most undeviating exactitude; yet the Supreme Court say "there was no case to which the power of appointing an elisor applied."

Stated in general terms the principal reason assigned by the court for this remarkable conclusion is that no affluew had had been presented here to the effect that the sheriff was disqualified to summon the grand jurors.

The obvious answer to this isthat no such affluence, which has just been cited; and because it is not required by the Code of Civil Procedure, which has just been cited; and because it is not required by the Code of Civil Procedure, which has just been cited; and because it is not required to all. Why? Because this same Code of Civil Procedure, which has just been cited; and because it is not required to the code of Civil Procedure, which has just been cited; and because it is not required to the code of Civil Procedure, which has just been cited; and because it is not required to the code of Civil Procedure was a plain, speedy and adequate remedy in the Strouge part of the Code of Civil Procedure was been applained. Why? Because this same Code of Civil Procedure is A WRIT WITHOUT PRECEDENT. Fourth—But even if all that has yet been

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"The petitioner was arrested under a warrant issued on said open decimal speedy and adequate complaint, and in due remedy in the orditime entered a plea of not guilty, and under the plea challenged ethat, notwithstanding his plea of no jurist diction, the Police Gourt threatens to proceed with the trial of the charge against of the charge against of prohibition to restrain the Police Court from proceeding with the trial of prohibition to restrain the Police Court from proceeding with the trial of prohibition section 1103 of the Code of Civil Procedure provides that a writ of prohibition may be issued in all cases where there is not a plain, speedy and adequate remedy in the petition."

opposite to that pointed to by the decision in the other case. If there be any distinction between them, it is supposed to be only such a distinction as is asserted by Mr. Justice McParlaud and the majority of the Supreme Court to exist between the decision in Bruner's case and that rendered in Haymond's case—"one too clear to need discussion."

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And this last observation suggests the thought that the decision given in the case of Bruner is precisely in condict with the decision pronounced in the case of Haymond, referred to by the learned Associate Justice. It was declared in the Haymond case that the grand jury here impaneled was a de facto grand jury. Six of the learned Justices concurred in the decision. The record before the Supreme Court in bank in the Haymond case was a record showing the steps taken in the organization of this grand jury. It was, in that respect, the same as the record exhibited to the same court in the Bruner case. Now in the Haymond case and with this record before them six of the members of the court—no member of the court dissenting—held the following language:

"It is sufficient for us to say that such a body has certainly as fat existence, and this being so, the witness was clearly guilty of contempt in refusing to testify."

In other words, the Court then informed Mr. Haymond that it was his duty to testify before you as a grand jury; they now inform us, however, in the Bruner case, that you, as a grand jury, had no authority to listen to Mr. Haymond when he should testify; and yet Mr. Justice McFarland, whose opinions are, of course, entitled to the greatest respect, has informed us there is no conflict whatever between these two decisions. To my mind, if I am to be allowed to entertain an opinion against so high an authority, in the one case the decision was that the organization of the grand jury, even if regular, was calid, and in the other case and upon the same record, that the organization was outd—not voldable merely, but vold absolutely to all intents and purposes; now, if this had been so held in Haymond's case, Haymond must have been discharged—must have been—for in such case I would have had no more authority to order him to attend before the Board of Trade or Traffic Association

The Justices Countermarch.

It is plain that in delivering the opinion in the Bruner case the Supreme Court deliberately abandoned its position theretofore deliberately taken in the Haymond case—it countermarched and took up and now holds precisely the position first annunciated by the learned judge of this court, sitting in Department Twelve of the Superior Court here; the position that the proceedings in the impaneling of the grand jury were null and void, and that the nine-teen gentlemen impaneled and sworn and charged by the Court were not a grand jury. It was upon this position alone that the investigation which the grand jury were proceeding to make could be stopped—the disclosures which would necessarily follow would be hashed.

It is indeed too late to say now that the decision in the Haymond case did not overrule the decision given in Department Twelve them, they unmistakably overruled the decision of the judge of Department Twelve them, they unmistakably adopt and approve it now.

These reflections are important and no mistake should be made in understanding them, because the decisions referred to are those of the Supreme Court of the State, and as such they become the authoritative law of the land. No criminal can be prosecuted, no crime investigated nor punished, except the proceedings be in accord with the expressed views of the Supreme Court; and if those views as expressed be contradictory—if upon a like state of facts and under like conditions—it is matter of regret, because of the embarrassment to ensue to the courts below in the performance of their duty in good faith to observe and carry out the understood views of the courts of the supreme court.

Judge Wallace then reviews the ques-Judge Wallace then reviews the question of public policy as touched upon by the Supreme Court and the danger of "one-man power." He shows that the danger of encoachment on the liberties of the people is much greater from the Supreme Court—a body composed of few officers holding for long terms and entrusted with almost autocratic power—than from the presiding judge of the Superior Court, who may be removed at any time by a majority of his associates. After reciting several precedents from the New York Court of Appeals, Judge Wallace sums up as fol-Appeals, Judge Wallace sums up as fol-

Appeals, Judge Wallace sums up as follows:

I have now stated (and much more could be added did time permit) the general views I entertain concerning the impaneling of this grand jury, and the reasons which controlled me here. Some one has blundered, a mistake has been made in some quarter; I venture to state that it was not here. Justice has been defeated; the investigation of great crimes alleged to have been committed against the people of this State has been suddenly stopped; the Supreme Court has interposed its power to arrest the investigations which the grand jury was proceeding to make.

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IMPORTANT PRINCIPLES OF LAW DISREGARDED.

I think that the decision by which the writ of prohibition was issued in the Bruner case was reached only by overriding ner case was reached only by overriding and disregarding the most important principles of criminal law as heretofore universally understood; and while I must respect the court and bow to its authority. I think I have a right to show, and have shown, even by what I have here said, that what I did in this business had the warrant of the statute regulating criminal proceedings as then understood, and that of all the decisions theretofore made by the Supreme Court of this State; not a few of them by the justices who have awarded the writ of prohibition in Bruner's case.

THE JURY COMPLINENTED. of yours. You have been summoned here and impaneled and have proceeded to the performance of your duties as a grand jury. Had the legality of your existence been sustained there is no doubt that you would have accomplished a great work—one sincerely desired by all the good people of this State. You have during the whole of your time been embarrassed by assaults ceaselessly made upon the legality of your organization. Of course you have been impeded and interrupted; you have not had the opportunity to thoroughly accomplish the work you had in hand, but your coming here, let us hope, has not been without good results already accomplished and yet to follow. In the meantime, for what you have so well and emclently, I tender you the sincere thanks of the Court; and in obedience to the expressed views of the Supreme Court in the Bruner case, you are now discharged from further attendance. the expressed views of the Supreme Court in the Bruner case, you are now discharged from further attendance.

Naval Oranges Eighteen Months from the Bud.

[Crown Vista]
A few days ago Cyrus Wright, a North Pasadena orchardist, brought to this office two mammoth Navel oranges—measuring over thirteen inches. But the most notable thing about these oranges is the fact of their having grown on a seedling tree that was set with a Navel bud only one year ago last June. At that time Mr. Wright budded twenty-five scrubby old seedlings, that couldn't earn their fertilizer, and the result is a good crop of fine Navels. It would appear from this a wise move to treat many of the seedling trees in this section in a similar manner. The fact that budding on a bearing tree brings the new fruit out more quickly should also be borne in mind. [Crown Vista]

Mr. Blackhills (displaying his collection of Indian curios.) That is a specimen of the war paint of the Sioux. I brought it when I came home from my last trip. Fair Visitor. Ah, yes, I see; sort of a Sioux veneer.—[Boston Post.

SPORTING NEWS.

at the New Athletic Club Grounds.

A Lively All-round Contest from Start to Finish.

The Visitors Again Victorious by Scere of 5 to 4.

Amateur Revolver Championship-Pugilistic.

The Los Angeles Apollos sustained another defeat at the hands of the All-Star Californian ball team by a score of

Athletic Park grounds.

The attendance, owing doubtless to the cold and uncertainty of the weather, was rather meager for Sunday after-noon, but those who turned out were rewarded for their trouble, for both teams put up a good game of ball from start to finish. Baltz and Stanley con-stituted the All-Star battery, and, although the former was a trifle will at times and sent seven men to their bases,

though the former was a trifle will at times and sent seven men to their bases, he evened matters up by striking out nine at various stages of the game. O'Neill, who was in the box for the home team, pitched a good, steady game, and was well supported by Lelande, but the All-Stars wielded the bat very effectively and scored six clean hits off his delivery.

The Apollos got the first man over the home plate in the second inning, but their opponents also scored in the third, and seach stallying again, honors were even at the end of the fifth. In the sixth both Decker and Lelande scored for the Apollos on a wild throw to second by Stanley, and the result seemed a foregone conclusion when the All-Star inning was closed by a sensational double play by Lelande, Goodenough and Fogarty. They rallied, however, in the seventh, Power making a pretty safe hit, stealing to second and reaching third and the home plate in sacrifices by O'Day and Reilly.

The Apollos went out in short order in the eighth, but their opponents added two more runs. Sweeney ópened up by biffing the ball to Goldie, but Brown and Denny received their bases on balls and came in on safe hits by McDonald and Power, both of whom, however, were put out at second. Just at the time when hits were most needed to save the game, Fogarty and Goldie were struck out in the ninth. O'Neill were struck out in the ninth.

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Following is the official score:

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Los Angeles..... 0 1 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 — 4

All-Star Cal....... 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 2 2 5 5 Los Angeles..... 0 1 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 4 Earned runs—All-Stars, 1.
Two-base hit—O'Day.
Bases on balls—All-Stars, 4; Los Angeles, 7.
Bouble play—Goodenough to Fogarty.
Struck out—By Baltz, 9.
Wild pitches—Baltz, 2.
Time of game—1:40.
Umpire, Holladay; scorer, Arnold AMATEUR REVOLVER CHAMPIONSHIP.
The initial shoot for the amateur re-

The initial shoot for the amateur revolver championship of America and the Winans trophy took place at the rooms of the New York Pistol Club on November 21.

Competitions have been arranged to be held in Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston and other points as well as New York, and it will probably be several months before the contest is ended and the prices awarded.

resenting a mounted cowboy and was designed by Walter Winans, a young American artist, who has done some re-American artist, who has done some remarkable revolver shooting in England, and who at present holds the championship of that country. In addition to the trophy Messrs. Smith & Wesson have offered a handsome revolver to the winner, and the Colts have made a similar offer, naming a "Lightning" rifle as the prize. The New York Forest and Stream, under whose auspices the contest is held, has also given \$100 in cash, to be divided between second, third and to be divided between second, third and fourth men, in purses of \$50, \$30 and

The conditions are very simple. The conditions are very simple. There is no entrance fee or expense to competitors. The contest is open to any citizen of permanent residence in the United States. Any revolver may be used, provided length of bore, including cylinder, does not exceed 10 inches. The targets are ready-measurement disks, and the count is the aggregate of the best 3 out of 5 consecutive scores of six consecutive rounds, at a distance of twenty yards.

ANXIOUS TO MEET MANNING.

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Henry Peppers, a likely-looking mid-dle-weight, is anxious to win fame at the expense of the veteran Billy Manning. He is out with a challenge to fight the latter for a purse of \$500, or any larger sum to the extent of \$1000, either before the Pastime Club or in San Francisco. Should Manning not feel disposed to accept this challenge, Peppers offers to bet him \$250 to \$500 that the veteran cannot stop him in

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Ax effort will be made during the present session of Congress to secure appropriation for the establishment factory is one of the necessary adjuncts to the successful defense of this coast In time of war.

THE American Protective Tariff League annually offers a liberal list of prizes and medals for the best essay pon the tariff question by the under raduate students of senior classes of colleges and universities throughout the United States. The subject for the estays of 1892 is, "Has the New Tariff Law Proved Beneficial?" The conditions of competition may be obtained by addressing the secretary of the league t No. 23 West Twenty-third street New York.

THE Southern Californian of Fallrook, San Diego county, describes a nethod in vogue in that section to pretent damage by frost in vineyards and erchards when the weather seems to be threatening. The plan commonly idopted is the construction of heaps of trushwood, say of prunings and surplus tround or within the vineyard area. To increase the density of the smoke pieces of turf, green weeds and tar are idded, when available, and by this neans, too, the consumption of brushwood is economized. The object is to lisse minate the smoke as thoroughly as possible through the orchard or vinerard, and it is thought that its effect is both to prevent the frost from setting and to save the vegetation from damage by too sudden contact with the sun's tays after the freeze.

WE publish in our telegraphic coltmns a dispatch from a gentleman high m official confidence at Washington, giv ing an inside view of our relations with Chile. From the high character of the rentleman, his familiarity with Mexico nd South American states, and his rebtions with public officials, we have every confidence that he knows whereof

The people of San Diego will have the cruiser San Francisco for a guest, end it is to be hoped that her sailors will be treated better than were those If the Charleston. The treatment of the Charleston sailors at San Diego and those of the Baltimore at Valpataiso were similar, and it may be that he Chileans think it not improper to follow our example in dealing with our han-o'-war's men. When the San Francisco arrives at Bay'n-climate tolay Admiral Brown should exact a pledge from the intendente that his trew will not be murdered if allowed to

lyndicate for gathering all the routine rs to \$15 a week. The reports are Ill alike, it is true, and the field of enterprise and individuality seems to be very much restricted. Hundreds of reporters have been thrown out of employment, and newspaper pay-rolls cortespondingly reduced. While this plan effects a considerable saving in expense it is doubtful whether it contributes envihing to the improvement of newspapers, since the tendency is to elimitate rivalry in news gathering and be explained, however, that this method of news-gathering is mainly confined to toutine matter-to the stock lines of sue its special investigations in its own way, and to the fullest extent justified by the most active enterprise.

Ix January there will be held at Defroit a convention representing boards of trade and other mercantile bodies that are interested in Northwestern take traffic. Its object will be the promotion of the great project of making ports of export of Chicago, Duluth, Milwaukee and other cities on the great takes. It is probable that steps will be taken to induce some action by Congress in the matter of connecting the apper lakes with tide-water by channels of the requisite depth. An estimate was recently made by one of the Government engineers of the cost of improving the channel connecting the upper twenty feet of water between Duluth and Buffalo. He estimates that the Buffalo to the sea the alternative is prebeing subject to the control of a for- etc. tign power, or of improving the Erie Canal and using that and the Hudson River as an outlet to the sea. Such an lay of money, but it would perhaps be haval advantage which such a canal ld afford in the event of war with

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Winds and Rain.

A contemporary seems to think that the north wind is a sort of Nemesis for Southern California, sweeping down upon us and driving our rain clouds away whenever it takes a cross-grained fancy; that unless we could placate the north wind, or protect ourselves from it somehow, it would be folly to bom bard the skies for rain.

Few people realize what purely local phenomena winds and rain are, controlled in a larger sense, of course, by general atmospheric conditions. Th recent windstorm did not commence until the clouds had hung over us ten or twelve hours. Perhaps if the clouds had precipitated their moisture the wind would not have come at all.

The meteorological conditions cedent to the windstorm were that somewhere to the south of us there was a volume of warm air which arose rapidly by reason of its lightness, leaving a void which the other atmosphere had to fill. The co'd air rushed down from the north in something of a hurry to do this, and hence the wind. It is quite possible that that wind came from no greater distance than the summits of the Sierra Madre range and the space above them. On the Mojave Desert, to the north of the mountains, the wind might have been blowing in quite another direction.

These atmospheric movements, instead of sweeping over great stretches of country on a dead level, as many people imagine the wind blows, revolve over and over like a cart wheel, the lower atmosphere rising on one side and the upper atmosphere sinking on the other, while between the two the air sweeps along the surface of the earth.

As Lieut. Finley remarks in a recent paper, "Nobody can study the weather from his own doorstep. sary to comprehend the larger influences that are at work. If a person will take one of the charts sent THE great Chicago newspapers have a out by the Weather Bureau and te the directions of wind there lews of the courts, city hall, water indicated he will find it blowing simulfront, suburbs, etc., which they call a taneously in a dozen different directions tews bureau. By working on the co- in a dozen different localities. Thus it sperative plan it is said the expense of is shown that winds, like rains, depend this service is reduced for morning pa- on local conditions. Heat, cold, hu pers to \$44 a week and for evening pa- midity and we believe also electricity are the controlling forces in both phe nomena.

Having these points in mind, it does not seem much of a stretch of the probabilities to say that a warm, humid volume of atmosphere, which appear to us in the form of a cloud, may either have its temperature suddenly lowered. condensing it and squeezing out the moisture like water from a sponge, or it may be suddenly sent skyward as the colder, denser and heavier atmosphere works around it and beneath it. In the former event we have rain; in the latter we have wind. If we have the one it is not very probable that we have the news-leaving each paper free to pur- other, though we may have a little of

The more these matters are studied the more the awful mysteries which formerly surrounded them disappear and the more probable it seems that mankind may some day learn to influence measurably the natural conditions, and bring rain whenever the atmosphere is in a proper state of saturation.

A Lost Beneficence

Another noble charity has gone amis through the hair-splitting construction of a will by a Probate Court in Nev York. José Sevilla, a native of Peru, and a naturalized citizen of the United States, left an estate valued at \$2,500. 000, out of which he bequeathed \$500, 000 to establish in the city of New takes with Lake Erie. so as to provide York a home for poor girls, to be known as "The Sevilla Home for Children. Young girls were to be maintained at st would be \$3,339,567. From the home until they attained the age of 16, and besides book education were to sented of using the Welland Canal and be taught sewing, cooking, washing

The testator, in his will, gave a lis of prominent persons to be appointed andertaking would require a great out. A board of managers selected from this list was afterward incorporated for arranted in consideration of the great that purpose, the members including aval advantage which such a canal August Belmont, William R. Grace,

Roswell G. Rolston and others, The ancillary executors having

brought suit for the construction of this clause of the will, Mr. Justice Lawrence of the Supreme Court, has decided that the bequest is invalid, because of uncertainty in this respect, viz., that at the the persons upon whom the trust was devolved were uncertain, there being no one qualified to take the bequest, the managers having first to be appointed by the surrogate, and that the act of incorporation did not cure this defect. Judge Lawrence holds that the bequest was also obnoxious to the statute against perpetuities, as by the terms of the will the fund was not to be turned over to the trustees until two years after Mr. Sevilla's death; and he decides that, although the will is valid under the laws of Pern, the court here should not aid in enforcing the trust. He therefore directs that the executors here remit the fund to the executors in Peru, in order that the courts of that republic may determine in what manner and to whom it shall be distributed.

The residuary legatee, the Sociedad Beneficencia of Lima, will apply the fund there to the purpose for which it was to be used in this country, and so New York loses an excellent charity because of a doubtful technicality.

A New York paper in discussing this matter savs:

matter says:
There is a rule of logic as well as a maxim of law which we think Judge Lawrence might well have considered applicable to this case: Id certum cst quod certum redui potest—that is sufficiently certain which can be made certain; and though at the time of Señor Sevilla's death it was not certain who the trustees would be, it was certain that there would be a surrogate of New York, and when, in pursuance of the will, he appointed trustees they were certain enough, especially since their appointment was followed by an act of incorporation.

Population of the State.

All subscribers, whether new or old. THE TIMES Premium Standard Atlas of the World, can now secure the valuable four-page Appendix which we have caused to be prepared, giving the population of California by counties, cities, towns and villages, according to the census of 1890. The sheet also ontains a special exhibit of the growth of Los Angeles and Southern California in population and wealth during the past decade. The Appendix will sent upon application, inclosing two stamps. HARPER'S WEEKLY admits frankly that

the election of Mr. Crisp to the Speaker-ship is a great triumph of the Hill-Tammany power in the Democratic party and it adds significantly that "none who in the late election aided in strengthen ing and confirming that power can complain of the first logical result of their efforts." There is something of the irony of fate in the fact that after Cleveland had debased himself by bow ing down to the great Moloch its in luence is thrown against him and in favor of his inveterate rival. There is something significant also in Harper's Weekly's further remark that "politic usually offer merely an alternative, and t is too early to determine the actual alternative of next year. It looks as though the erstwhile mugwump will wind up by turning jibboose, i. e., he will bolt the Democratic party as he for merly bolted the Republican.

THE Fruit World, published at Phila pelphia, has this report on the dried fruit market:

Prunes continue to be the strongest thing Prunes continue to be the strongest thing on the list; yet, there is an easier feeling noticeable, except for large sizes. The close of the year finds growers cleaning up oid lots, which find their way to this city, where prices are ruling lower than for the same size and quality in the producing districts. A Santa Clara packer purchased in this city on Tuesday a lot of ungraded 80-90s at 5 cents and shipped the fruit to Santa Clara to be graded and packed, claiming that the same goods could not be pur-Santa Clara to be graded and packed, claiming that the same goods could not be purchased there at less than 5½ cents. The full of the crop is in second hands and has been moved. It is variously estimated that the holdings in this State amount to about 175 or 200 carloads.

Two contracts have already been executed by Postmaster-General Wanamaker under the new postal aid law, one with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company to Central America. Chin: and Japan, and one with the "Red D' line to Venezeula. The new service will begin February 1 and March 1 next. This is creditable promptness.

AMUSEMENTS.

AT THE THEATERS.

Los Angeles Theatem.—Mr. Sully gave the last performance of *The Mattonaire* at the Los Angeles Theater last night. The next attraction at this house will be the Noss family in a musical comedy begin-

ning January 4.
GRAND OPERAHOUSE.—This house will reopen this evening with Edward S. Willard open this evening with Edward S. Willard, one of the greatest living 'actors, in The Middleman, by Arthur Henry Jones, author of Saints and Sinners. The Steer King and other famous plays. This is a performance which has been lauded by the dramatic writers of every city in which it has been produced and has been greeted by large audiences everywhere. Mr. Willard is supported by A. M. Palmer's matchless company of players, and we are promised for pany of players, and we are promised for this engagement one of the most even and perfect specimens of dramatic art yet seen on our local stage.

Tariff Pictures

[New York Press.]
For the twelve months prior to October 1, 1890, when the present tariff law went into effect, the value of imported manufactures of wool was \$55,972,031.

For the twelve months prior to October 1, 1891, the value of the of goods imported here was \$35,601;210 ber 1, 1891, the value of the same class

The demand being equal in the same year American manufacturers got the benefit of this difference in trade and sold an additional \$20,000,000 worth of goods. Figuring three pounds of wool to the dollar of value shows that over 61,000,000 pounds were required by this additional manufacture, and as wool imports increased only about 80,000,000 pounds in the second year, for which figures are given, the balance of 31,000,000 pounds must have been supplied by domestic wool growers. Thus protection helps both manufacturers and agriculturists.

A. W. Palmer, Jr.

Highland Park, Dec. 26.—[To the Editor of The Times.] This is to certify that my son, A. W. Palmer, Jr., has learned the poem, "The Eagle," perfectly, and recited hie same before his parents and friends.

Respectfully yours, A. W. Palmer.

Williamson. I hear Jagman was so drunt last night that several of you fellows had to take him home on a shutter. Did his wift think he was dead? Henderson. Shouts have. She was certainly laying him out when we left.—[Brooklyn Life.

after Mrs. Benjamin took up her residence here and have been living to THEY TOOK POISON.

Sensational Suicide at the Hotel Ramona.

W. Bert MacGregor and Leah Benja min Take Morphine.

The Former Dies from the Effects of the Drug.

and Death-Letters Stating That the Couple Were Man and Wife.

One of the most romantic cases of self-destruction that probably ever took place in this city was brought to light yesterday afternoon, when Landlord Burns opened the door to room 51, on the third floor, and found W. Bert Mac Gregor, a young newspaper man who has been employed for some months past on the city papers, stretched out on the bed, with a young woman lying on his arm, and both apparently unconscious. Mr. Burns at once called in Police Officer Walker, and on entering the back room, where the bed is located, the officer was horrified to find young Mac-Gregor stone dead, while the girl, proved to be little Leah Benjamin, the seventeen-year-old sister of Ben Ben-jamin of the Herald, was apparently in

a dying condition.

The girl was fully dressed and MacGregor had only taken off his coat, and
was in his shirt sleeves.

As soon as it was seen that the girl

was breathing messengers were sent for physicians, and Drs. Westlake and Boyd promptly responded.

MacGregor was rigid when found, which showed that he had been dead several hours, and his body was removed to the front room so that the doctors could work with the girl. Who seemed

could work with the girl, who seemed past all human help. Two empty mornine bottles and a couple of small past all human help. Two empty morphine bottles and a couple of small glasses were found on a table in the front room, and the doctors were confident that both had taken large of that drug, and from the girl's looks they did not believe that she would



W. BERT MACGREGOR live many minutes longer, but they went to work with a will and at 6 o'clock last evening she had so far re-covered that they expressed some hopes for her, but she was not out of danger

at that hour by any means. While was Coroner Weldon arrived as soon as he ould be found and took charge of four letters addressed to himself, the girl's mother, who lives on Boyle Heights at 1843 First street, Charles D. Willard, ecretary of the Chamber of Commerce who married MacGregor's sister a few nonths ago, and Ben Benjamin. The etters were all addresed in MacGreg-or's handwriting and are in pencil. The letter to the Coroner is a singu-

larly worded epistle and states that the couple are man and wife. The letter

Los Angeles, Dec. 26, '91.

Dr. Weldon, Coroner Los Angeles County—
DEAR Sir: There is no need of autopsies in this case, and you will greatly oblige us if you will omit them. We will return the favor when we get a chance. You see it is a plain case. Fill in the blank this way: Mrs. Leah MacGregor, aged 17, native of Australia; W. Bert MacGregor, aged 24, native of Illinois; came to their death by the use of morphine taken with suicidal intent. Do us this favor (it lies in your power to do so) and we will watch over your interests if we are so situated that we can. We think you can satisfy the jury without doctors as witnesses.

W. Bert MacGregor.

The letters to Mr. Benjamin and his

ble, but their contents have not been made public and the motive, if the young couple made it known to their relatives, is still a mystery.

Mrs. Benjamin, who is a widow, and her daughter, Leah, came to this city from San Francisco last spring so that they might be near their son and brother. Soon after their arrival they became acquainted with MacGregor, who was then working on the Herald. The young couple became very much at-tached to each other from the first, and soon became engaged to be married. They were both anxious to have the ceremony take place as seen as possible, but the mother objected on the grounds that Leah was too young. She told them that they might marry as soon as them that they might marry as soon as her daughter was of age, and for a time this seemed to satisfy the lovers, but they soon grew tired of the ar-rangement and insisted that the old lady change her mind and give her consent to a speedy-marriage, but she re-fused and the affair has stood that way ANOTHER WOMAN.

When the Benjamins arrived in this city MacGregor was on intimate terms with a married woman named Evans whose husband worked as a waiter in various restaurants. As soon as he be-came acquainted with Miss Benjamin he attempted to break with the Evans woman and several rows followed. Her husband and MacGregor had several hostile meetings, but no blood was ever shed, and a few weeks ago the Evans couple disappeared from the city after Evans had made a vain effort to have MacGregor arrested. He called at the District Attorney's office several times, but was told that he had no case against the man, but could prosecute his wife if he wished, and as he did not care to do this he and his wife both disappeared from the city.

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This affair has worried the young man to such an extent that he has not been himself for some weeks past, and it is supposed that it had something to do with the ragin act which ended his own life and brought an innocent child almost to death's door.

HIS CHRISTMAS DINNER At 6:30 p.m. on Christmas day Mac-Gregor came up from San Bernardino and went straight to Mrs. Benjamin's on Boyle Heights, where he took dinner on Boyle Heights, where he too attitude with the family, consisting of Mrs. Benjamin, Miss Leah and Mr. and Mrs. Stephens. Mr. Stephens, who is a son of C. C. Stephens, Esq., the attorney, married one of Mrs. Benjamin's daughters a couple of years ago. They came down from San Francisco some months.

gether.

MacGregor remained as the guest of Mr. Stephens for the night, and he and Miss Benjamin remained up until a latehour. They were talking in the parlor and both seemed to be greatly worried over something.

Saturday morning Stephens left the house at 9 o'clock. He went to his father's law office in the Phillips Block. At about 10 o'clock MacGregor and Miss Benjamin walked into the office and MacGregor asked to be allowed to leave the young lady in the office a few gone about thirty minutes, when he re turned and the two left together, and that was the last seen of them by Steph

When next heard of MacGregor en gaged a room at the Ramona. This was just after 10 o'clock, so he must was just after 10 o'clock, so he must have gone direct from Stephens' office to the Ramona. He told Mr. Burns, the proprietor, that he only wanted the room until 6 o'clock in the evening, as he was going out of town at that time. Whether he spent the day in the room or not is unknown, and no one about the house saw Miss Benjamin, enter, but at house saw Miss Benjamin enter, but at 6:80, when Mr. Burns went to see if the room had been vacated, MacGregor was still there, and as the room had been rented to another party Burns told him that he would have to move him to another room on the third floor, and he was given room 51, where the when the change took place Miss Benjamin left the room with MacGregor while Mr. Burns was in the office, and

it is supposed that they went direct to room 51. Neither one of them was seen about the house after that and as Mr. Burns left early in the morning to go for a drive he thought nothing more about the affair until 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when he returned and asked if MacGregor had left his room. On

being told that the room was still locked he went up and found the key on the inside. He succeeded in pushing the key out and was horrified to find MacGregor dead on the bed with a woman by his side. THE MORPHINE

When or where he got the morphine is a mystery, but that he had the two bot-tles in the room he occupied during the day there is no doubt, for the corks were found in the rooms and he must have taken the open bottles up to room 51, but when the drug was taken is a mys-tery. MacGregor was seen on Spring street at 11 o'clock Saturday night walking rapidly towards the Ramons and the drug must have been taker later in the night. THE OTHER LETTERS.

The letters to Mrs. Benjamin and he son Ben were secured last evening, after the parties to whom they had been addressed had read them, and are as fol-Los ANG., Cal.

lows:

Los Ang., Cal.

To My Darling Mother: Try hard to forgive your sinning child. Don't mourn for me. My secret was more than I could bear and God only knows that I did it for the best. Say good-bye to my darling little brothers, kiss them for me and tell Sarah I said bood-bye, and kiss her for me. Kiss the baby, the little darling.

Barney I can't think of. May God forgive this day's act. [Here MacGregor took up the letter and finished it and seems to think she was writing to her brother Ben instead of her mother.] Leah is too weak to write more, Ben, but asks me to say good-byê to you for her. Don't think hard of her, Ben, it was my fault.

Bid all the boys good-bye—Steve, Fenemore, Miller, Shauts, Taylor, Jones and all the rest. Please see that the papers don't get too sensational about this.

Leah asks that the family do not put on back and Leah asks that the family do not put on black and Leah asks that the family do not put on black and Leah asks that the family do not put on black and Leah asks that the family do not put on black and Leah asks that the family do not put on black and Leah asks that the family do not put on black and Leah asks the tell and the family do not put on black and Leah asks the tell and the family do not put on the sea and Leah asks the tell and the family do not put on the control of the sea and the sea a

get too sensational about this.

Leah asks that the family do not put on black, and Leah says to get her picture and keep them. Good-bye.

LEAH, By Bertan

The second letter was addressed to Mrs. Benjamin. Forgiveness was asked for the step they had taken and the one they were about to take. It

read:

We know that we add to your troubles by removing our own, and therefore are selish to a degree, but you must forget this little episode in time, doubtless, and only recollect it as an unpleasant memory. The fact that we are man and wife, and have been so for a couple of months, will explain many things. Do not blame either cf us for this suicide: it was a joint concoction suggested by both and entered into equally by each. We can anticipate your grief at Leah's loss, but as it is, we wish you would not mourn her long, and will the use of morphine taken with suicidal intent. Do us this favor (it lies in your power to do so) and we will watch over your interests if we are so situated that we dain. We think you can satisfy the jury without doctors as witnesses.

W. Berr MAGGREGOR.

The letters to Mr. Benjamin and his mother were sent out as soon as possible, but their contents have not been ble, but their contents have not been in life.

LEAR AND BERT. in life. LEAB AND BERT.

Young MacGregor first came to the bout four years ago from Chicago for his health, going first to Santa Barbara. He lived at this place some months, and finally went to work on the Press. He then went to Pomons and worked for some time, after which he came back to Los Angeles, and has since made this city his home. The first work he did in this city was as a reporter on the defunct Tribune, after which he worked on the Herald as proof-reader, and after ward went to San Diego, where he remained a short time. Returning to Los Angeles he again went to work on the Herald, after which he was for some weeks on The Times. Leaving, he again went to San Diego, but remained only a short time, and again returned to Los Angeles and took a position, which he held until about two months ago. For the past month he months ago. For the past month he has been acting as temporary correspondent of THE TIMES in San Bernardino county. On the 24th he sent word that he was sick, but he came to the city Christmas day and on Saturday morning applied at the office for a rengagement, which was the last seen of him until his dead body was found resterious afternoon.

MacGregor had no relatives in this sec-tion except his sister, who was married a few months ago. His father lives in Chicago, where he is in business, and he also has several brothers in that city who have been notified of his death.

It was generally known that Mac-Gregor was paying attention to Miss Benjamin, and it was understood that they were engaged, but the first known of any marriage, even by the most inti-mate friends of the parties, was the statement to that effect in the letters which were left by the deceased.

At midn ight the poor girl had re-covered sufficiently to state that she and MacGregor took the morphine afte and MacGregor took the morphine after.

9 o'clock yesterday morning. They had
been out to breakfast, and she was with
him when he got the drug. She would
not state why they took it, and positively refused to talk about MacGregor.

Her recovery is due to Drs. Westlake,
Boyd and Coroner Weldon, who worked
all night with her.

Boyd and Coroner Weldon, who worked all night with her.

Shortly before midnight Mrs. Benjamin and Leah's sister, Mrs. Ed Stephens. were admitted to the rooms and remained with her all night.

She has several bruises on her face which must have been caused by a fail or a blow, but she would not talk about them.

RAILROAD AFFAIRS.

The Rio Grande Western's Latest California Project.

Said to Have Purchased Some Rights Up About Fresno.

What the Telegraph Operators Now Propose to Do.

The Grand Chief Telegrapher States His Opinions — The Order is Yet Weak in the Far

If the Rio Grande Western Railroad

Company builds lines to the Pacific Coast over all the lines that have been mapped out for it there will be an dance of new roads to California. The latest on this subject comes from says: "A very important railroad movement is at hand. It comes unheralded, asks no subsidies and moves along in a business-like way that begets confidence. The Denver and Grande Western is getting ready to build into California. The Denver and Rio Grande Western people are railroad builders. They are the project ors and builders of the Denver and Ric Grand proper, the little giant that did so much to develop the resources of Colorado. They are now working in harmony with the Colorado Midland, and, it is hinted, with the Santa Fé. The recently organized San Francisco the Rio Grande Western people. The company itself is a dummy affair, but W. W. Belvin, one of the incorporators, represents an English syndicate that in tends to build the road and then turn i over to the Santa Fé and Rio Grande Western. The Rio Grande Western has already surveyed a line from Pioche Nev., to this valley. Mr. Belvin is now in Europe, and it is thought he will be back in a few months, when work on the construc

tion of the road will be immediately commenced. The road has an option on the California and Nevada Rail road, which runs into Oakland, where it has ample water-front facilities. The old Wilbur grade will be used for a part of the way, and the water front at An tioch has been bonded by the new road The company has also acquired by purchase the old Lyman Bridges air line survey, which runs through the East Side, and General Manager Dodge will be in Fresno and Madera within a few weeks to look into matters person-ally. The present purpose is to build ally. The present purpose is to built up the east side of the San Joaquin and cross the mountains in this county it a suitable pass can be found. It is understood that some Michigan owners of in the project. Whatever the Denver and Rio Grande Western people under take to de they will carry out. They represent unlimited enterprise, push and dash, and never look back wnen they lay on their hands."

THE TELEGRAPHERS.

To a San Francisco Chronicle reporter D. G. Ramsey, grand chief telegrapher of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, said: "The situation is simply this. shall ask that the Southern Pacific Company withdraw their manifesto prohibiting their employés from join-ing our order. If they refuse this re-quest we will declare war and in a very quest we will declare war and in a very short time they will not have any tele graphers to dictate to. If, on the con trary, they will listen to our appeal there will be no further trouble."

Mr. Ramsey also informed the Chron-

icle that five divisions of the Southern Pacific system are now represented by six delegates each in that city, and that it entirely depended upon the result of his talk with the railroad people whether or not a convention would be held in a few days. The divisions represented are the Tucson and Gila, the Los boldt and the Oakiand division, and their delegates contain one member each of the following organizations: The Telegraphers, the Locomotive En-gineers, the Firemen, the Trainmen, the Conductors and the Machinists.

Speaking of the reasons why the Cal-ifornia telegraphers are badly organized and why so few members of the order obeyed the mandate of the union when ordered to quit work, Mr. Ramsey said:
"Our order is not a very old one, and as a matter of course we concentrated our best preliminary efforts in the States which embrace the large Eastern cen-ters. This, of course left the more dis-tant States, such as California, to be attended to later, and our organization in this State is for these reason strong as elsewhere. From El Paso to New Orleans, however, we have every operator except two, although the road is a branch of the Southern Pacino,

is a branch of the Southern Pacific, which is strongly opposed to us."

Alluding to the difficulties encountered in organizing the far West, Mr. Ramsey said: "The operators out here are located many miles distant, and communication between them is extremely difficult, because, although they have the wires and can use them to talk to each other, there are so many nonunion men sandwiched between stations that anything like a confidential contential contential confidential contential confidential contential content that anything like a confidential conversation is next to impossible."

Mr. Ramsey further said he would re-

main in San Francisco until the present main in San Francisco until the present trouble was settled one way or the other, even if he should have to be here for the balance of his natural life, and judging from the way he expressed himself on this subject he would not object to become a life resident of Cali-fornia. for he was certainly quite en-thusiastic in speaking of what he had seen of this State so far.

The Atchison has thirteen directors and 12,744 stockholders.

On one day during the recent snow blockade in New Mexico the Santa Fé had twenty-four locomotives on troad between Las Vegas and Raton. The telegraphers of the Atchison system have prepared a scale of wages which they will present to the officers of the company, and ask that it be adopted January 1.

CURRENT HUMOR

est in financial matters, doesn't he?" asked McSwilligen. "Yes, all the way up to 15 cents, according to the hardupness of the borrower," replied Squildig.—[Pittsburgh Chronicle.

President of the Bloodstone Bank. Why do you distrust the cashier? He seems to be a very honest and moral man. Director of the Bank. Well, I saw him reading a Bible on a street car this morning.—[Minneapolis Journal.

neapolts Journal.

Phrenologist. Your bump of imagination is abnormally large, sir. You should write poetry. Visitor. I do write poetry. Only yesterday I took a poem to an editor and that bump you are feeling is where he hit me. Don't bear on it so hard.—[Tid-

ANOTHER CRANK.

His Ghastly Mission to the Vanderbilt

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- [By the Assoclated Press.] Late last night while Cornelius Vanderbilt was entertaining a number of friends at his Fifth-avenue residence, a good-looking, well-dressed young man, apparently a German, rang the door bell. To the page who answered the summons, he said that he had called to see Vanderbilt personally, to get his brains; which he proposed to have subjected to an expert analysis in order to determine why Vanderbilt was able to amass a fortune while the caller was penniless.

caller was penniless.

The page summoned an officer who took him to the station. In his pocket was found a card bearing the name "John J. Lingman, 68 East Eleventh street," also a membership card of the Young Men's Christian Association.

The prisoner was taken to the York. The prisoner was taken to the York-ville Police Court this morning and

ville Police Court this morning and committed pending an examination as to his mental condition.

Penladelphia. Dec. 27.—A crank, giving the name of J. Bonaparte, entered the office of George W. Childs, in the Ledger building, yesterday, asking to see the publisher. When asked the nature of his business the man said: "To kill him." He was arrested and pronounced insane. pronounced insane

AGAINST SECTARIANISM. esolutions of the League tor the Protect

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By the Associated Press.] The National League for the Protection of American Institutions has prepared an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which will be submitted to both houses of Congress shortly after they resume their sessions. The amendment is as

fellows: fellows:

No State shall pass any law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the full exercise thereof, or shall use its property or credit, or any money raised by taxation, or shall authorize the issue of bonds, for the purpose of founding, maintaining or aiding, by appropriation, payment for services, expenses, or otherwise, any church, religious denomination or religious society or any institution, society or undertaking which is wholly or in part under sectarian or ecclesiastical control.

KILLED HIS RIVAL.

Wedding Party Interrupted by a Fatal MERIDIAN (Miss.,) Dec. 27 .- By the

Associated Press. | William Wright residence of the bride's parents, twelve ceremony the bridal party were in the parlor when a young man named Johnson crept up to the window and fired the contents of a double-barreled shotgun into the body of Wright, who died

Johnson and Wright were rival suit-ors for Miss Phillips, and Johnson often threatened that if she wedded Wright he would kill him. The murderer was

Rejoleing Over Redmond's Victory. NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of Irish Nationalists was held tonight in Ledwith Hall, this city, to take action on the recent Parnellite victory at Waterford. Speeches were made

prominent Irishmen. Resolutions were adopted stating that the rejection of Michael Davitt by the electors of Waterford and the decisive majority given to Redmond on the platform of genuine home-rule and in-dependence of English political parties were the saves of internes satisfaction to are the cause of intense satifaction to Irish Nationalists of New York, who have so long sustained the people of Ireland in their efforts to obtain self-

government. The Anti-Slave Trade Treaty. WASHINGTON, Dec. 27 .- M. Le Ghait. Belgian Minister, has received a cablegram announcing that the Brussels anti-slave trade convention was ratified by the French Senate yesterday. The Chamber of Deputies took similar action on the 24th inst. Eighteen powers were represented in the Brussels con-ference, and the adhesion of all is equisite to render this acte generale efleaving only the United States to determine whether it shall become opera-

Steel Works to be Rebuilt READING (Pa.,) Dec. 27 .- The ruins of

early this morning. Two of the build-ings besides the offices were saved and not as much machinery was damaged as at first supposed. The work of rebuild-ing on a larger scale will be commenced at once. The total loss is estimated at

Coke Plant to be Sold.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—Negotiations are in progress for the purchase of the Hostetter Coke Company's plant of the Frick Coke Company. The price is

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LOST IN THE SIERRAS.

Travelers Caught in a Storm and Frozen to Death.

Searching Parties Out in the Hope of Rescuing the Rest.

Five Men Supposed to Have Perished in the Deep Snow.

Rain Falling in California ing in Southern California

By Telegraph to The Times.

CARSON (Nev.,) Dec. 27—[By the Associated Press.] Joseph Klein, son of Jake Klein, of the Bullion Exchange Bank, and George Bosworth left Placer Bank, and George Bosworth left Placerville two weeks ago to walk to Carson
over the mountains. Shortly afterwards they were met by Henry Barton
at Dennis Johnson's. Barton says that
they were apparently tired out and he
advised them to turn back, or at any
rate to not cross the summit at that time. Bosworth was willing, but Klein insisted upon pushing on to the next station, eleven miles off. Both started up the mountain. The snow was becom-

Since then nothing has been heard of them. Three other men started over the summit on the Sunday previous. One of them was found dead by Barton and McNull twelve miles from Lake Ta-hoe. Barton further continued his search on snow shoes, but found nothing of the others. All the stations have been yished by the searchers. None of been visited by the searchers. None of the wanderers have been found. The storms in the mountains for the last week have been terrible, and the nights

cold enough to freeze one to death. Barton knows the country well and is certain that all five men have perished. The father of Klein will send reliefs through the hills in the hope of finding his son. There is little shelter where these storms of snow and sleet sweep across the Sierras. across the Sierras.

WELCOME RAINS.

Heavy Showers Up North Gladden the Hearts of Farmers. GILROY, Dec. 27.—[By the Associated

Press.] There was a pouring rain last night and a copious downfall continued today with little signs of clearing. The air is warm. Feed and grain are starting rapidly under favorable conditions. No better Christmas gift could have been made to farmers, who are feeling

happy over the bright prospects.

Petaluma, Dec. 27.—Yesterday morning there was a light fall of snow and sleet. Last night there was the heavi-est rainstorm of the season. The total rainfall to date is 4.25 inches. It is still cold and showery.

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San Francisco, Dec. 27.—The weather conditions and general forecast is as follows: Rains and high winds were realized over the entire Pacific Slope from a severe storm that was north of Western Washington last evening, and there remains a trough of low pressure of sufficient intensity to give scattering showers or snows to the entire slope, including Southern California. The high pressure area now for the middle and south of the California coast. This position is favorable to rains in Southern California, and clearing and cooler brisk westerly winds from Northern California northward.

The wind attained a velocity of thirtysix miles an hour at Spokane and Keeler today, sixty miles at Winnemucca, thirty-four at Sacramento and thirty-two at San Francisco. The temperature shows a general rise in California. Nevada, Arizona and the eastern portions of Washington and Oregon, but a fall of from 8° to 10° is occurring in Western Washington and Western

SANTA CRUZ. Dec. 27 .- Two inches of SANTA CRUZ. Dec. 27.—Iwo inches of rain fell here last night, making 7.71 for the season. A large amount of plowing and seeding has already been done in this county. There were frosts last week, but not severe enough to in-

last week, but not severe enough to injure flowers in gardens or to damage
grapes in vineyards. Considerable
shipments of table grapes are being
made daily by express. The season has
been very favorable for this county.

DUNSMUIR, Dec. 27.—A terriffic snowstorm raged here all last night. Today
but little fell. but tonight it is starting
in again. The snow is four feet deep
now. All snow plows have been out now. All snow plows have been out and the road is now clear south of Hern-brook. The southbound express is de-layed by a slide in Low Creek Canon and will be at least fifteen hours late. The temperature is about 80°

Pugilism at Hollister.

HOLLISTER, Dec. 27.—Manager Thoos, of the Hollister Athletic Club, has matched Sam Barber of Hollister and Jack Keogh of Benver for January 16, to a finish, the men to weigh in at 185 pounds, for a purse of \$325.

An Oregon Blaze. Lagrande (Or.,) Dec. 27.—Fire which

started in the general merchandise store of I. Harris, on Adams avenue, last night about 10 o'clock, destroyed about \$32,000 of property before the flames were subdued. The insurance is about \$32,000 about \$22,000.

San Jose, Dec. 27.—The Portlands and San José teams did not play ball today on account of rain.

Noted Visitors from France. NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Patenotre, the French Minister to the United States, arrived today by the steamer La Cham-

NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- Paul Deschaud. deputy of the department of Eure et Loire, arrives today on the same steamer. He was appointed by the French government to investigate social questions and the condition of workingmen in this country. He will meet Powderly and other labor leaders, visit Baltimore, Philadelphia, Boston, Chi-cago, New Orleans and San Francisco.

Victims of a Disaster Buried. NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The funerals of Dr. Stephen Best, Mrs. A. M. Baldwin, Mrs. Libby Vanarsdale and Mabel Slo-Mrs. Libby valuated and Mader Sto-cum, victims of the Yonkers wreck, took place today, the obsequies being largely attended and unusually pa-

YONKERS (N. Y...) Dec. 27.—Lawver Murp hy, one of the victims of the wreeks died last night. Up to a late hour tonight nothing had been heard of Brake man Herrick, whose negligence, it is charged, caused the wreck.

Alding Russian Sufferers.

WA SHINGTON. Dec. 27.—Alexander
Grege or, charge d'affaires of the Russian legat on, referring to the report of the nurel leved distress in Russia, said that the government and people do every-bing in their power to relieve the dis-

MORE LYNCHING.

Alabama "Avengers" Still Hanging Members of the Sims Gang.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—[By the Associated Press.] The Times-Democrat's Shubuta, Miss., special says: "Lynching is still going on. John Sims, a brother of Bob and Mosely, a nephew of brother of Bob and Mosely, a nephew of Bob, were both hanged last night and avengers are hotly pursuing a negro who was with the gang on the night of the massacre. They have burned all the houses and killed every living thing on Bob's place. The family, who escaped to neighbors, say they are going to leave the country. A crowd fully 500 strong is hunting Neal Sims, who it is reported has about forty men and intends to burn Womack Hill today.

Thinks Cleveland Will Lose PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—Gov. Campbell of Ohio is in the city tonight. Speakof Ohio is in the city tonight. Speaking of the outlook for the Democratic Presidential nomination, he said he did not think Cleveland would get the necessary two-thirds majority and if he were not nominated on the first ballot he would be defeated. In the event of Cleveland's defeat, he was of the opinion that a Western man, possibly Palmer of Illinois, would be chosen.

Starvation in Durango.
CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 27.—The governor of Durango telegraphs that in ernor of Durango telegraphs that in that state people are dying of starva-tion. Corn is being sold at cost to the poor, and money or orders for the pur-chase of corn are being distributed by organized charity. The President has ordered the proper federal officials to aid the poor in Durango and other states where there is suffering because of the scarcity of food.

Wealthy Ranchman Dead. CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Frederick G. Appleton died suddenly this morning of cancer of the stomach. He was a weal thy ranchman at Camp San Saba, Tex. and came here November 11 for medi-cal treatment. He was a brother of Edward and Samuel Appleton of Phila-delphia, prominent Episcopal clergy-

Hunting a Murderer With Bloodhounds. LEESBURG (Fla.,) Dec. 27.—This morning Conductor Parramore, of the Florida Central, was shot and instantly killed by a colored barber named Thomas Mike, whom he had compelled to go into a car set apart for colored people. A thousand armed men with six bloodhounds are hunting the negro.

A Lunatic Runs Amuck. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27.—Thomas Edwards, a nurse recently discharged from the city hospital, became deranged this afternoon, and, running on the street, at the point of a revolver made every one he met kneel and pray. He was finally arrested.

Railway Employes to Strike. San Antonio (Tex.,) Dec. 27.—To morrow morning the employés of the San Antonio and Arkansas Pass Railway will strike, tying up the entire system. The trouble dates back to the discharge of Conductor O'Brien for al-leged violation of orders.

Greeley's Brother-in-law Missing. E. Cheney, a large property owner and heavy stockholder in the New York Tribune, has been missing for over a month and his relatives are alarmed. The missing man is a brother-in-law of Horace Greeley.

Actor Scanlan's Mind Wrecked. NEW YORK, Dec. 27 .- The condition of W. J. Scanlan is practically un-changed tonight. His manager, August Pitou, believes that his mind is hopelessly wrecked.

Cotton Burned. Louis. Dec. 27.-Sixteen hundred bales of cotton were burned tonight in the railroad yards at the foot of Rutga street. The loss is \$50,000.

Death of an Indiana Pioneer Indianapolis, Dec. 27.— Charles Mayer, a pioneer of Indiana and mil-lionaire wholesale merchant, died today,

Young Field Refuses Food. New York, Dec. 27.—F. M. Field still persists in refusing to eat. He drank three glasses of whisky today.

aged 70.

Train Derailed. nine people were seriously injured.

Grip in New York. New YORK, Dec. 27.—Eleven cases of death from grip were reported to the health board in this city today.

Won a Go-as-you-please.

St. Louis, Dec. 27.—Cartwright wins the six day go-as-you-please with a score of 502 miles 3 laps.

Speaker Crisp Improving Washington, Dec. 27.—Speaker Crisp was reported slightly improved tonight.

SHE REFUSED TO IMAGINE

The Man Was Full of Sympathy, but it Wasn't Appreciated. ["M. Quad" in the New York World.] There was a woman on the Second avenue surface car the other day, with her face tied up with a handkerchief, and fdirectly opposite was a benign-looking citizen who was on the watch

looking citizen who was on the watch to extend consolation to some poor suffering fellew-mortal. He had scarcely noticed the woman, when he leaned forward and inquired:
"Toothache, ma'am?"
She nodded her head.
"Too bad! Ache very hard?"
She nodded again.
"I know how to pity you. I'd about as soon be knocked down with a club as to have the toothache for fifteen minutes. I suppose you've tried pepper-

to have the toothache for fifteen minutes. I suppose you've tried peppermint, paragoric, camphor, hot salt, whisky and all that?"
She nodded again.
"Wel,i" continued the benigu man, "I've heard that all these things can be overcome by strength of will power. They say the imagination has a good deal to do withit. Suppose you imagine that your tooth doesn't ache the least bit!"
"And suppose you imagine that you

"And suppose you imagine that you are the biggest fool in New York!" hotly exclaimed the woman as the tooth gave a jump which lifted her a foot high.

The benign man muttered, "Um! Um!" and went to the end of the car and sat down and began to read a newspaper.

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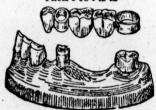
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AT THE CHURCHES.

Interesting Sermon at Trinity M. E. Church.

The Pulpit Occupied by Rev. E. A. Telfer of London.

Rev. Dr. Cantine at the First Methodist Church Yesterday.

Able Sermons at the First Presbyteria and St. John's Episcopal Churches by Their Respective

Rev. E. A. Telfer, D.D., of London England, occupied the pulpit of Trinity Methodist Church South yesterday, both morning and evening. Dr. Telfer is a tchman and a Methodist-a man of somewhat large frame with a short, frosty beard, an expansive forehead and heavy eyebrows, shadowing thoughtful, kindly eyes. He speaks with a strong Scotch accent in an original and strik ing manner. Beginning in a moderate tone of voice he gradually increases it in volume and rapidity till he reaches a climax both of tone and eloquence which approaches the sublime. His pictorial illustrations are something remarkable. In his sermon yesterday morning, which was on "The Morning of Conversion," he gave a wonderfully graphic descrip tion of the battle of Waterloo-a battle won by the power of discipline. His text was found in Solomon x:6, and his preliminary remarks comprised a figur-ative description of the Church of Christ marching through the wilderness of the world. He then developed his theme in a masterly manner. Steadiness of purpose, unity and warmth should be prominent characteristics of the church; not the sort of unity described by one Scotchman who said that there was no lack of unity in his church. they were all frozen together, but the unity which has the zeal and fire of the Holy Ghost. The music, led by a male quartette, was a fine feature of the ser-

Dr. Telfer is making a tour of the world and has consented to give his famous lecture on "The Scottish Covenanters" tomorrow evening at Trinity Church. He has with him a fac-simile of the Scottish Covenant, which he will display in connection with his lecture,

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Owing to the illness of the pastor of the First Methodist Church, Rev. Dr.

of Casar, whose birth heralded tidings of war and bloodshed! Christ found the world with the spirit of religious freedom lost. He found the church as He found the world—in slavery. The Jewish religion was ironic and despotic. as rengion was ironic and despotic.
Apostate Judaism-was built against the
whole world and could never become
the religion of the people. And at the
advent of one who was not only to reform but revolutionize the world well might the angels sing "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, good

will toward men."

Christmas should be celebrated with The religion of Christ is the religion of songs, of sentiment, of sweet-ness, sunshine and love—and the sweetest songs are those composed from the wonderful story of Jesus and his love. The religion of Christ speaks of gifts The religion of Christ speaks of gifts and gladness and during this Christmas holiday we should remember that there is no greater gift than that: 'God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son that whosoever believeth on him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Hinton, the evangelist, occupied the pulpit in the evening. IMMANUEL CHURCH.

Yesterday morning Dr. Chichester presented foreign missions from the practical, common-sense standpoint. Epistle to the Romans: "I am debtor both to the Greeks and to the barbar ians," and the theme was the Christian's indebtedness to those who don't have The congregation filled the large

church and it was the universal opinion that it was one of the best foreign mission sermons ever preached anywhere. The doctor has the happy faculty of successfully pleading the church's The dector has the happy accessfully pleading the church's benevolent causes, and yesterday's appeal ought to have secured a splendid

In the evening the doctor preached a interesting Christmas sermon. At oth services the music was unusually ne. Miss Challie Burnett singing a beautiful offertory in the morning.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH. Rev. B. W. R. Tayler preached yesterday morning to a large congregation at St. John's Church on the text:
"What is Truth!" The question was
asked by Pilate when the despised and
hunted-down Nazarene stood before hunted-down Nazarene stood before him. "Mankind," the preacher said, "have always been truth-seekers, and in the pre-Christian era the question, "What is truth? was eagerly asked by the various philosophic and speculative schools of Greece. When Pilate asked the memorable question was a very live and important topic of the times. Now, as then, the same temper, the same busy, resistless, energetic spirit characterize mankind, and on every hand men of various schools of thought and advocates of various religious systems are seeking after truth. Materialism, pantheism, theosophy, spiritualism, are all phases of religious thought trying to extract the hidden gems of truth. We cannot laugh or ridicule these schools of thought out of existence for they are live issues of the day, and the time has gone by when honest inquiry can be turned aside with a way. and the time has gone by when honest inquiry can be turned aside with a wave of the hand or a ourl of the lip. It was to reveal the truth that Jesus Christ was sent into the world. To this end

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was I born, and for this cause came 1 into the world.' The philosophers of today, like those of old, must come and sit at the feet of Jesus of Nazareth before they can have a satisfactory answer to the question, 'What is truth?''

Row to Ripen Late Grapes.

[Fresno Expositor.]

Various means have been thought of to hasten the ripening of the second crop of grapes, so as to be able to save it before the rainy season sets in, but none have met with so much favor as the one recently practiced by our large vineyardist, B. E. Hutchinson. The plan is to gather the ends of the vines that lay on the ground and, bring them to the center over the stump and tie with a stout string. This leaves the bunches exposed to the sun's rays, which at this season are not very warm, and at this season are not very warm, and in a comparatively short time the grapes are sufficiently ripe to pick. This also removes the bunches of grapes from the ground and prevents them from decaying. One man can tie up from one and a half to three acres a day. The expense of tripe is proved. day. The expense of tying is more than repaid by saving those that would decay, to say nothing of the time gained in ripening, which is very valuable at this season of the year.

A MUCH-MARRIED MAN.

Homer B. Love, Bigamist and Forger, Again in the Toils.

Behind the Bars of the San Francisco Jall -A Los Angeles Woman His Latest Victim-What She Says.

The San Francisco Chronicle of Sat The San Francisco Chronicle of Saturday contains the following story, in which a Los Angeles woman figures:

Homer B. Love. alias Turner, alias Dr. Floyd, alias many other names, who is well-known in this city and the East as a clever confidence swindler, forger, quack doctor, bigamist and all-around scamp, was todged in the city prison again last night. It will be almost a miracle if he escapes a term in the State prison, for he is wanted on six charges of forgery and one charge of petit larceny in this city, a charge of bigamy in Oakland and a charge of felony in Kansas City. He may have to face another charge of bigamy in this city before he is through his troubles.

Love, by which name he is known to the police of this city, made his appearance here three years ago, at which time he had fied from Denver to escape arriest. He is a man about 45 years old and is a fluent talker. A little over a year ago he induced a Miss Harddingberg of Oakland to become his wife. His matrimonial happiness was all that he could desire, for with his wife he got hold of about \$4000 of her property. urday contains the following story, in

owing to the illness of the pastor of the First Methodist Church, Rev. Dr. Campbell, its former pastor, Rev. R. S. Cantine, who chanced to be in the city, occupied the pulpit at the morning service. Dr. Campbell's illness is not of a serious nature and he will probably be out in a day or two.

At the Christmas service at this church on Christmas servae about \$35 in cash and a large supply of groceries, fruits and vegetables were received to supplement the salaries of needy ministers in the conference who are doing frontier work.

Rev. Dr. Stewart occupied the pulpit at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning. There was a good attendance as usual. Dr. Stewart, who has been laid up with la grippe, said in his preliminary remarks that after being a resident of California for five years the Sabbath preceding was the first on which he had ever failed to fill his appointment, but he would not lay it to any fault of our excellent climate.

Dr. Stewart preached a Christmas sermon from the text: "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."—Luke xi:14.

He spoke of Christ's birth and of His com. I into the world in the humblest way. Yet He came as the Prince of Peace and was the king of kings. How different was the birth of Solomon and of Cæsar, whose birth heralded tidings of war and bloodshed! Christ found the world with the spirit of religious free-the world weeks past to a surprise to me, "said Mrs. Floyd, "for fhave for several weeks past to a surprise to me," said Mrs. Floyd, "for fhave for several weeks past to a surprise to me," said Mrs. Floyd, "for fhave for several weeks past to a surprise to me," said Mrs. Floyd, "for fhave for several weeks past to a fine the pulpit and the pulpit and the pulpit and the pulpit and He was hardly married, however, when

so a fine-looking, modest-appearing woman about 25 years old, with dark eyes and hair and a pleasant, intelligent face.

"This is not a surprise to me," said Mrs. Floyd, "for I have for several weeks past suspected that something was wrong. I am blameless in the matter, though, and have nothing to conceal. I have been hasty in marrying, and now have ample time to repent at leisure. My maiden name was Jennie Laland and I lived with my mother in Los Angeles. One day about eight months ago this man came to our house and represented himself as a San Francisco detective in search of some men. Just seven months ago we were married by Justice of the Peace Austin. Mr. Floyd said that he had graduated as doctor of medicine, and that he was tired of the detective business. At his request I converted \$2000 of my property, all I had in fact, into cash in order to start him in business in his profession. From Los Angeles we went to Kansas City, but only stayed there for a few days. Then we went to Chicago, where the doctor started a dispensary. We stayed there four months and then I came to this city, and two weeks ago the doctor joined me.

"I had on several occasions noticed a newspaper clipping that he carried carefully in his pocket-book, and recently I got hold of it, and here it is."

Mrs. Floyd handed the reporter a clipping from the Chronicle which narrated the arrest of H. B. Turner, allas Love, in Oakland a year ago for bigamy.

"I fancied," continued the deceived woman, "that my husband was much interested in that case, although I only knew him by the name of Dr. Floyd. He was so anxidus to find this lost paper that I began to believe that I had been seriously and terriby imposed upon."

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miss. Floyd listened with much interest to a recital of her husband's criminal exploits, and at the conclusion said that she would begin proceedings at once to have her marriage with the man nullified.

"He took the marriage certificate from me," she continued, "soon after our marriage, as he said for safe-keeping, and it may be among his effects. I will examine and see. At any rate our marriage is recorded in Los Angeles, even if he has destroyed the certificate. Since ar marriage the doctor has traveled over the country practicing his profession, and if the police had not caught him when they did they would have waited a long time before seeing him again. He had laid out an extensive tour through Mexico and Central America, and we would have taken our departure in a few days. I do not see why he should have been so reckless as to return to this city with all these charges hanging over his head."

SHIPPING NEWS.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 27, 1891. The following were the arrivals and departures for the past twenty-four hours:

Arrivals—December 26, schooner Challenger, Johnson, from Seattle, 400,000 feet lumber for Ganahl Lumber Co. December 26, schooner Mary Dodge, Gallup, from Seattle, 364,000 feet lumber for K. C. M. L. Co. Arrivals and Departures-December 27,

None.

Due to Arrive—December 28, steamer Corona, Hall, from San Diego and Newport, passeagers and merchandise for S. P. Co. December 29, steamer Coos Bay, Leland, from San Francisco and way, passengers and merchandise for S. P. Co. Due to Sald—December 28, steamer Corona, Hall, for San Francisco and way, passengers and merchandise for P. C. S. S. Co. December 29, steamer Coos Bay, Leland, for Newport, passengers and merchandise for P. C. S. S. Co. TIDES.

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December 28, high water, 6:47 a.m., 8:41 p.m.: low water, 0:35 a.m., 2:06

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[Poultry Bulletin.]
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Russian variety. All who raise poultry should have a supply of sunflowers for their fowls, who should begin to feed on them as soon as seeds are fully matured. They will produce four times as much nutriment for fowls to the square acre as In-dian corn and are better suited to the health of fowls than any grain. Bend down some of the stalks a few times a week and let the fowls pick the seed week and let the towls pick the seed out; it will be a good healthy employ-ment for them. In addition to the sup-ply of food they offer they afford a shade from the heat in summer, which is very desirable. Single heads of the mammoth Russian sunflower measure from sixteen to twenty-four inches in diameter. The seeds fatten fowls and give them a bright lustrous plumage, which indicates a healthy condition. It is the most remarkably productive food known and can be raised cheaper than It is acknowledged to be an arti-

The thrifty farmers in and about Compton have organized the Compton Cooperative Store with a paid-up capi-tal of \$2500. Business is conducted on a strictly cash basis and the results so far have been very satisfactory indeed, the volume of business for the past three months aggregating upwards of \$6000. The association is organized on the cooperative plan, membership being of the par value of \$100, which is called in as occasion may require. On this basis the scheme has proved feasible and is well supported by the far-mers.—[Rural Californian.



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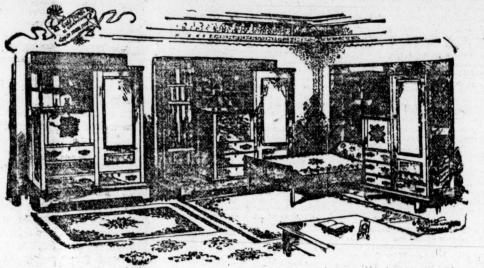
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LEGAL. Notice to Creditors.

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Notice to the estate of Richard Bromby, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator of the estate of said deceased, at the office of Chapman & Hendrick, Rooms 40 and 41, Baker Block, in Los Angeles city, that being the place for the transaction of all business of said estate in the country of Los August 10 to the said of the said of the said this blat way to the said the said that the blat way to the said the said that the said the said that the said the said that the said the said that the

Stockholders' Meeting. OS ANGELES, CAL. DECEMBER 19, 1891. Notice is hereby given that the cannual meeting of the stockholders of the Carbonate Mining Company will be held at the office of the company in the Fulton Block, No. 20 New High street, in the city of Los Angeles, State of California, on Saturday, January 2, 1892, at 10 clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting.

meeting.

By order of the board of directors.

T. J. FLEMING, Secretary. Examination of Peache S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN examination of applicants for High School certificates will be held at the rooms of the County Board of Education on January 1 and 2, 1892. The examination will begin at 90 clock a.m.

By order of the board.

W. W. SEAMAN.

Secretary. Examination of Teachers.

Stockholders' Meeting. Stockholders' Meeting.

Los Angelles, Cal., Dec. 8, 1891.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Providencia Land, Water and Development Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 105 South Broadway, in the city of Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, on Monday, January 11, 1802, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting.

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CITY ADVERTISING,

Ordinance No. 1146.

(NEW SERIES.) Ordinance Declaring the Intention of the ayor and Council of the City of Los An-les to Establish the Grade of Union Av-use from Washington Street to Hoover rest.

E MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE city of Los Angeles do ordain as fol-

city of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

SECTION I. That it is the intention of the council of the city of Los Angeles to establish the grade of Union avenue from Washington street to Hoover street as follows:
At the intersection of Washington street the grade shall be, as now established, 50.10 at the southeast corner and 50.33 at the southwest corner. At the intersection of Freeman street the grade shall be \$2.00 at the northeast and southeast corner, as now established, and £2.50 at the northeast and southwest corner. At the intersection of Montrose, or Twenty-Irrst street the grade shall be, as now established, 58.50 at the northeast and southwest corner and \$4.00 at the intersects and southwest corner. At the intersect and southwest corner and \$4.00 at the corner and \$4.00 at the intersect and southwest corner. At the intersection of Twenty-third street the grade shall be 50.40 at a point in the west side. The street the grade shall be 50.40 at the northeast and southeast corner. At the intersection of Twenty-third street the grade shall be 50.40 at the northeast and \$6.00 at a point in the west side. The intersection of Cushman street the grade shall be 50.40 at the northeast and \$6.00 at the southeast corner. At the intersection of the west line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$9.00 and at the intersection of the east line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$0.00 and at the intersection of the east line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$0.00 and at the intersection of the east line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$0.00 and at the intersection of the east line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$0.00 and at the intersection of the east line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$0.00 and at the intersection of the east line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$0.00 and at the intersection of the east line with the east line of Hoover street the grade shall be \$0

be 60.00.

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SEC. 2. The city clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published for ten days in the Los ANGELES TIMES, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force. force.

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was adopted by the council of the city of Los Angeles at its meeting of December 14th, 1891.

FREEMAN G. TEED, City Clerk. By GEORGE E. SEIP, Deputy.

Approved this 18th day of December, 1891.

HENRY T. HAZARD,

Mayor.

LEGAL.

Of Sale of Real Estate and Personal Prop-

Of Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Los Angeles, State of California, made on the 8th day of November, 1891, in the matter of the estate of Henry Milnor Mitchell, deceased, the undersigned, the executor of the estate of the said Henry Milnor Mitchell, deceased, will, on or after the 28th day of December, 1891, at the office of W. S. Knott, rooms 100 and 101, Downey Block in Los Angeles city, in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, all the right, title and interest of the State of California, and all the egit, title and interest that the said estate shall have acquired prior to said sale by operation of law or otherwise, other than, or in addition to that of the said Henry Milnor Mitchell at the time of his death, in and to the personal property hereinafter described, and also all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situated in the county of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Certain lots of land situated in the town of

Gollows, to-wit:

Certain lots of land situated in the town of Port Ballona, and more particularly described as follows, viz: lots one (1.) two (2) twenty-one (2!) and twenty-two (22), in block 14, and lot 14 in block 5, and lots 3 and 39 in block 15. all as per map recorded in the office of the county recorder of said Los Angeles county in book 16 of miscellaneous records, pages 47 to 59.

Also an undivided one-half interest in lots 21 and 22, in block 29, in the said town of Port Ballona, according to the map recorded in the office of the county recorder of said Los Angeles county, in book 16 of miscellaneous records, pages 47 to 50.

records, pages 47 to 50.

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Also an undivided one-half interest in lots 1 and 2, in block 4, of M. L. Wick's subdivision of the south half of lot 5, block F, of Hancock's survey according to the map recorded in the office ounty, in book 16, page 14, of macellaneous records. Said last described property is situated in the city of Los Angeles, in said county and State.

Also an undivided one-half interest in the following parcels of land situated in the city of Los Angeles, in said county and State.

Also an undivided one-half interest in the following parcels of land situated in the county of Los Angeles. State of California, to-wit: Lots nineteen (19.) twenty-one (21.) twenty-three (23) and twenty-five (25.) in block eleven (11) of that portion of the town of Glendale included within the Crow tract according to the map thereof recorded in the office of the county recorder of said Los Angeles county, in book 21 of miscellaneous records at page 28.

The following is the said personal property hereinbefore referred to, to-wit: A one-fourth interest (less a credit of 4400 thereon) in a certain written contract dated August Gould and Mary L. Gould as pecties of the first part and La Sierra Water Company (a corporation) party of the second part, in so far as said contract appertains to the 129,000 to be paid by said La Sierra Water Company, or at its option in lieu thereof, the payment of forty inches of water as therein provided; one gold watch and chain, six chairs, one wardrobe, one assayer's scales, furnace and crucible, one-half interest in one set ring, one-half interest in one ball interest in a gold chain. Terms and conditions of sale are cash gold coin of the United States. Deed at the expense of purchaser. Bids or offers in writing for the above properties, either as a whole or for separate parcels thereof, may be left with the undersigned at the said office of W. S. Knott, rooms 100 and 101 Downey block, Los Angeles, Callior, thereof, may be left with the undersigned at the said office of W. S. Knott. rooms 100 and 101 Downey block. Los Angeles, California, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the sale.

Dated December 8th. 1891.

ALBERT ATWATER MITCHELL, Executor of the Estate of Henry Milnor Mitchell, deceased.

W. S. Knott, Attorney for estate.

Notice to Contractors. Notice to Contractors.

Sealed Proposals Will Be Received at the office of the South Riverside Land and Water Company, South Riverside, California, at 3 p.m. Wednesday, December 30, 1891, to be opened in the presence of the officers of the South Riverside Land and Water Company.

1. For the excavation of nine (9) miles of trench to receive pipe, divided up into twelve sections about equal in length.

2. For the construction of 768 feet of tunnel. 2. For the construction of 768 feet of tunnel,
3. For making and laying in place about 11,000 feet of 88-inch grade pipe.
4. For making and laying in place about 7850 feet of 34-inch grade pipe.
5. For making and laying in place 13,500 feet 24-inch pressure pipe.
Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be had on application of the office of the South Riverside Land and Water Company. pany.
The South Riverside Land and Water Company reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
N. C. HUDSON,
Dec. 23-8t.
Secretary,

Notice

Of Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE FIRM HERETOFORE EXISTING under the name and style Lovie, Dodd & Co., doing business in the city of and county of Los Angeles, State of California, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Miles Dodd, Jr., will collect all bills due the said firm, and pay all debts owing by the said firm Dated Los Angeles, California, December 5, 1891.

J. A. LOVIE,

b, 1891,

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ED. O'GARA'

Messrs. Miles, Dodd, Jr., and Ed O'Gara

will form a new copartnership under the
firm name and style of Dodd & O'Gara, for
the transaction of the same kind of business as that heretofore carried on by the
firm of Lovie, Dodd & Co., namely, contractors for general cement work, and Mr. J. A.

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A.E. POMEROY
December 15, 1891.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

PASADENA.

Some Remarks on the Matter of Climate.

What is There to Complain About After All is Said?

Miss Thompson Tendered a Farewell Reception by Her Friends.

Bender-The News in Brief-Points About People and Things.

Branch office, No. 50 Fast Colorado street where news, advertisements and orders for THE TIMES are received.

There has been some talk during the past week about Passadena climate. The talking has been done for the most part by Eastern tourists lately arrived here, some of whom feign disappointment over the existing climatic conditions. The visiting grumblers have been augmented by a small circle of Pasadenians, whose chief delight seems to be to find fault with things in general and who probably only stay here because they are too lazy to earn money enough to get away.

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out. Some recent arrivals have been about. Some recent arrivals have been heard to complain bitterly because it is too cold. Never, say they, did they suffer so from cold since their arrival in Pasadena. Others say there has not been rain enough and that the country has a barren appearance. And so it goes, Some of the older residents tell of a Christmas when the mercury rose to the nineties, and then there was a vigorous protest on the part of many because it was too hot.

In the face of these objections and complaints the claim is here made that there is

In the face of these objections and complaints the claim is here made that there is mighty little to find fault with in this country or climate as they are today, the force of which remark will be duly impressed upon any Pasadenian who will spend an entire winter outside of Southern California. The fault lies more with the people than with the climate. This winter there has been but little rain and the mercury has dropped on several occasions during the night to the freezing point. This is the worst that can be said of the climate. The days have been sunshiny, making out-door exercise pleasurable and healthy. In comparison with an Eastern winter, with its now, rain, ice, sleet, widely-ranging temperature and cyclones, Southern California's climate during the so-called rainy season stands alone and unsurpassed.

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It is a noteworthy fact that residents of a year or two standing are altogether satisfied to live here, and if strangers come this way improperly clothed and put up at places which are improperly heated and then find fault, it is a waste of time to argue the matter; rather let them return home and let them go through life without knowing half of the good that can be made out of it. As for Pasadenians, they need not complain. The country will pass on its merits and grow in wealth and prosperity accordingly.

FAREWELL RECEPTION.

A very pleasant social event was the farewell reception tendered by the Shakespeare Club on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. H. G. Bennett on Orange Grove avenue to Miss Thompson, the highly popular president of the club, who leaves Pasadena this week to accept an important position at Stanford University.

There was a fuil turnout of club members, besides a large number of invited quests. Papers were read by Mrs. C. H. Foote and Mrs. H. G. Bennett, the latter reading a paper written by Miss Scoville, who was kept away by illness. Miss Helen Crittenden sang two solos and Dr. Page in a highly entertaining manner related conversations he had overheard here and there and there and progressions of the control of the among representative men in various pro-fessions, all expressive of deep regret at Miss Thompson's proposed departure from Pasadena. Refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was pleasantly passed in a social manner.

Some exceptionally fine Christmas music was rendered yesterday at several of the churches. The Presbyterian Church choir in the morning rendered a beautiful an-them and Mrs. Col. Corbin sang a solo in her usual pleasing manner. In the evening also special music was rendered. Rev. Mr.

also special music was rendered. Rev. Mr. Shepherd assisted the pastor, Rev. W. H. G. Fife, at the morning service.

At the Universalist Church the choir sang several beautiful selections and solos were rendered by Mrs. E. T. Howe and Mrs. W. B. Clapp. In the evening the Sunday-school choir took part in the service.

Prof. Cole's large chorus, with Miss Lillus Peck as the soloist, and a male quartette made the music a special feature of the services yesterday at the Methodist Tabernacle. *Sermons appropriate to Christmas itm was preached by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Phelps.

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Considerable interest is being manifested in society circles over the cotillon which is to be given at Hotel Green on Friday svening. The list of invited guests includes about forty couples, nearly all of whom nave already forwarded their acceptance. The cotillon will be preceded by a short programme of dances. Music will be furnished by Arend's Los Angeles orchestra. The favors will be provided by the ladies and will be both novel and elegant in their character. A number of prominent society men from Los Angeles are expected. The cotillon will consist almost entirely of new figures that have never been seen here before.

The hint is bereby modestly given out that as much as possible of the débris resulting from the windstorm be cleared away without any unnecessary delay. This has been done in most parts of town, but hereand there one runs across a toppled-over fence or outhouse, or trees with broken branches clinging to them, that present a decidedly bad appearance and are not calculated to present a favorable impression on strangers. Such neglect also betrays a high degree of laziness on the part of the property owners for which there is no excuse. Clean up, so that there shall be no longer any visible evidence of the blow.

DRUNK AGAIN. DRUNK AGAIN.

A young man of town, who has just served out a sentence at the County Jail for drunkenness, immediately upon his release on Saturday proceeded to get on another "bender" and make things lively according to his pristine fashion. He wanted one prominent citizen to leave his store long enough to be wiped out of existence, but that gentleman wisely refused to respond, knowing that the said young man, when drunk, lays claim to being extremely ferocious. It is not known whether or not the offender has again been placed within the confines of a jail. If he isn't, he ought to be.

BREVITIES.

Mrs. Seymour E. Locke is improving after a severe illness.

Co. B. will hold a regular weekly drill at the Armory tonight.

als Blankenhorn isill at her home

South Raymond avenue, where the track is The recently elected Masonic officers will be installed this evening with imposing cer-

The Misses Wright, who have spent several months past in Pasadena, leave today for Denver.

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The funeral of Mrs. Harriet Nelmes, mother of Thomas Nelmes, took place yesterday afternoon.

A brisk rain of a day or two would come in well and brighten things up wonderfully for the new year.

Yesterday was partly cloudy and warmer, The indications favored rain and about sunset light showers set in.

The Santa Fé onicials have not been able to find a trace of the man who robbed the till on Wednesday night.

It is not likely that the Pasadena Tennis Club will be represented at the Santa Monica tournament this week.

As things go now an overland may be ex-

As things go now an overland may be ex-pected at least once in twenty four hours, but no matter what hours.

The North Pasadena Methodist Church and Sunday school held interesting Christ-mas exercises at Thomas Hall Saturday

The merchants are generally satisfied with the holiday trade. The reports indi-cate a considerable increase over last year's

cate a considerable increase over last year's business.

The remains of Samuel B. Reed were sent East on yesterday's overland, in charge-of-Mrs. Rowan, for interment at his former bome, Joliet, Ill.

There will be a holiday festival at the Universalist Church on Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Sunday-school children. The exercises promise to be both novel and entertaining.

A glance in Loughery's window, where the Tournament of Roses prizes are exhibited, ought to be sundjent on secure a large number of entries for the different events. The winners will be handsomely rewarded.

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Manager Holmes has received a large consignment of furniture during the past few days, with which he is fitting up rooms in the Doty Block for the benefit of such guests as are unable to find accommodations at the hotel. This is a practical evidence of prosperity.

A farce will be given sometime soon by well-known amateurs of town at the residence of E. P. Hurlbut on Orange Grove avenue, where there is a prettily fitted-up stage at one end of the dancing hall. Miss Hurlbut will invite a small number of friends to witness the entertainment, which will be enlightened by vocal and instrumental music.

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Terminal road passengers will notice a short distance east from where the road crosses South Fair Oaks avenue a new cross ing. The recently-laid rails point suspi-ciously in the direction of the alley between Raymond and Fair Oaks avenues and the question is, what is the company going to do about it? As matters stand they have franchise, but not a right-of-way.

VENTURA COUNTY.

The Usual Christmas Services at the Various Churches.

A Welcome Change in the Weather-Th Citizens' Alliance — Death of August Weiss—General News Notes.

The Christmas holiday passed off very quietly in Ventura. All the churches held services and the Congregational, Presbyterian and M. E. Church, South, held good entertainments Christmas eve, and the M. E. Church gave a Christmas cantata Christmas evening.

The next meeting of the County Alliance will be held at Saticoy January 12. There are 1000 carloads of beans in this county yet. No movement is noticeable. The Methodist parsonage is being im-proved by the building of an addition and other alterations.

A new Presbyterian church will be built at Hueneme. The contract was let to C. N. Stanley of Pasadena. Stanley of Pasadena.

Work upon the brick laboratory and ink works at Santa Paula is being pushed along

as rapidly as possible. as rapidly as possible.

The cold weather experienced for several weeks gave way today before a routherly breeze and the climate is more like the norbreeze and the clima mal of this section.

Mrs. Mary Bowman, formerly of the Santa Paula Chronicle, has purchased five acres of land near Los Angeles and is mak-ing her home on it. The Union Oil Company at Santa Paula

purchased ten acres recently in town, for which they paid \$5000. It was purchased a few years before for \$1000.

By the report of the secretary of the agricultural association of this county it is ricultural association of this county it is shown that the receipts at the recent fair amounted to \$5619.85, against \$5920.41 paid out—a deficit of \$300.

The Las Posas Land and Water Company has begun work on some new pipe line on the Las Posas tract. It has just received 5000 feet of 6-inch and 1500 feet of 4-inch pipe.

An open meeting of the Citizens' Alliance was held here Saturday night. It was addressed by G. W. Mosteller. The Aliance is opposing the petition in circulation addressed to Congress and asking aid to help complete the Nicaragua Canal.

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August Weiss died at the hospital here Christmas morning and was buried Saturday. He came down here several months ago and superintended the starch works at Hueneme. It was almost completed when he was taken ill, but his decline was so rapid that he falled to see it start up. He leaves a wife and four children at Winlock, Wash. PERSONALS.

Miss Elia Blackwood has resigned her Miss Elia Blackwood has resigned her school here and returned to her home at Oakland....Mayor Colffns and wife spent Christmas on the Ojal....Miss Annie Hymer has gone to San Francisco...Mrs. W. C. Blumby of Nordhoff has returned from Colorado...Miss Madge Sheppard is home from Los Angeles.

Editors Who Dislike to Be Interviewed. Editors Who Dishke to be interviewed.

It is rather curious that nearly all the great editors of this country should shun reporters as they do. They seem to fear interviewers and are as skittish as a cabinet officer whenever approached. Take net officer whenever approached. Take James Gordon Bennett for example. He is foud of a good time and he always treats newspaper men well, but he will not submit to an interview. Neither will Joseph Pulitzer. In the politest, blandest terms both ask to be averaged.

Charles A. Dana will occasionally submit if he happens to be connered in some other city. Whitelaw Reid is a pocket edition of Chesterfield when a reporter approaches him, but never a word for publication. Horace White and E. L. Godkin are just as close mouthed. So is George W. Childs. Occasionally Murat Halstead, Henry Watterson and Colonel A. K. McClure may be taken unawares and interviewed, but not often.—Foster Coates in New York Mail and Express. Charles A. Dana will occasionally sub-

The present style of weather is especially favorable for runaways.

Col. H. E. Pratt celebrated his birthday on Saturday in suitable fashion.

Miss Haase, assistant public librarian at Los Angeles, was in town yesterday.

C. A. Scharff of San Francisco will pay a visit to his Pasadian friends this week.

J. W. Polley has returned from the Arrowhead Hot Springs much improved in health.

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SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

Services Held at All the Churches Yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Jenkins's Farewell Sermon Father Waugh's Address to the Children-Marriage at Goleta-Ar-

Rev. P. S. Thacher, pastor of the Unity Church, spoke yesterday morning on the subject, "The Jesus of History" The sub-ject announced for the evening service was "The Man, Christ Jesus."

Rev. B. A. Jenkins, pastor of the Christian Church, preached his farewell sermor yesterday morning. Mr. Jenkins recently resigned his passorate on account of fail-ing health. The church is exceedingly sorry to lose him, as he is a young man of much promise and ability, and well liked by the entire congregation. He will probably remain in this State. Rev. Roland D. Grant, of the Harvard Street Baptist Church, Boston, preached last evening at the Baptist Church. The

services in the morning were conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. Grant.

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Rev. John Serkis, a Christian Jew from East India. spoke at the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday morning.

Father L. Waugh, "the children's friend, addressed a meeting of the children and their friends at the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church yesterday afternoon. Father Waugh is over 80 years of age, and is still in good health. His one boast is that he never used whisky or tobacco.

The services at the Y.M.C.A. Hall yesterday afternoon were conducted by Rev. Mr. Moore.

Moore.

Rev. A. H. Carrier, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, preached to his congregation yesterday morning.

Rev. C. C. Eddington addressed his congregation vesterday at the Methodist Church South

South

Rev. W. H. Ramsey conducted the services
at the Trinity Church, of which he is rector.

Mr. Hussey of North Berwick, Me., spoke
yesterday morning at the Faith Mission,
having for his subject: "Palestine as It is
Today."

BRIEFS. The steamer Corona will arrive this after

The Santa Barbara County Farmers' Al-llance will meet in this city January 6. The Magnolia Lodge, No. 242, F. and A. M., will confer the second degree Tuesday

evening.

The towns of Lompoc and Santa Maria report an increasing demand for good dwellings. Among the recent arrivals at the Com-mercial are: D. A. J. Ferner, San Fran-cisco; M. W. Hurst, John Hughes, Santa Paula; Frank Tracy, Ojai; J. M. Glinchey,

The sky was overcast yesterday and threatened rain, but so far, overlooking a few light sprinkles, this section is still without the wished-for rain. The weather is much warmer.

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The Santa Barbara amateur orchestra will give a concert at Santa Rosa Hall Wednesday evening to their invited friends. The orchestra is under the leadersnip of Prof. W. J. McCoy.

The operetta, The Culprit Fay, which was to be produced at the operahouse this evening, has been postponed until Thursday, as several of the young ladies who are to take part are ill with la grippe.

Pr f. J. R. Parker and Miss Hattie Martin were married last Wednesday at the residence of the bride's parents in Goleta. A number of the friends of the bride and groom were present. Mr. Parker is the principal of the Goleta school. The bride is a native of Goleta, and a general favorite

s a native of Goleta, and a general favorite of all the residents of that little city. PERSONALS. Rev. R. D. Grant, formerly pastor of Har-

Rev. R. D. Grant, formerly pastor of Harvard Street Baptist Church, Boston, is in town visiting his brother, A. T. Grant, on Carrillo street. He is accompanied by his wife....Clio Lloyd, J. C. Hassinger and G. W. Russell are among those suffering with la grippe...J. L. Scodield, State organizer of the Y. P.S. C. E., is in the city. He spoke last evening at the Christian Church.... Charles Holton and William M. Talbott, advance agents of Cleveland's Minstreis, are at the New Morris...Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hemus, well-known missionaries, are in the city. They are registered at the New Morris...J. A. Macleod and wife of Los Angeles are at the Arlington...Miss Lida Lennon and Miss Laura Jones of San Iluis Obispo are in the city. They are at the Obispo are in the city. They are at the

Proper Application Necessary to Secure Desired Results. [California Cultivator.]

"Feed the land and the land will feed you," was a maxim of the past, but the latest investigations have added a new rule, which is more pertinent and force-ful, to-wit: "Feed the plant and the plant will feed you." This means that we should apply the fertilizers intelli-gently, such as the plant requires, and at such times as it can take up and as-similate the food offered. It would be just as sensible to dump a month's feed before a horse and tell him to help himbefore a horse and tell him to help himself for that period as to cart a year's
supply of fertilizer into the orchard and
expect the best results. In both cases
a large percentage would be wasted before it could be utilized by either animal or plant, and another large percentage would not be utilized because
npt needed by either horse or plant.
Finely ground meal from unsteamed
bones is a complete fertilizer for fruit
trees, as it contains the three principal

trees, as it contains the three principal ingredients required. viz., phosphoric acid, potash and nitrogen. It is not quite as active as the acid phosphates, but more permanent in its effects. Acid phosphates is simply bone meal dissolved in muriatic acid, to which is dissolved in muriatic acid, to which is added gypsum, ashes or other similar material as a drier. The practice of adding to this nitrate of soda is waste-ful and unnecessary, as the nitrates are better applied separately and in more frequent doses.

frequent doses. Gypsum is not a fertilizer in the sense that phosphoric acid and nitrogen are used. It is simply sulphuric acid and lime forming the sulphate of lime, and, by its presence in the soil and affinity for water, assists in forming chemical combinations that furnish food for the plants from material already there.

plants from material already there. It is valuable as an absorbent of ammonia. Nitrate of soda is one of the most ex-pensive methods of supplying nitrogen pensive methods of supplying nitrogen and should be applied to fruit trees during the growth of the plant in small quantities at a time and more frequent than other fertilizers. It produces a luxuriant growth of wood and large specimens of fruit. The spongy growth of oranges in many groves is largely due to the excessive use of sheep manure, which is in its best estate rich in nitrogen.

nure, which is in its best estate rich in nitrogen.

The formation of seed taxes the vitality of trees and vines much more than the growth of the pulp, hence it has been found of great value to both tree and vines in bearing to give a suitable dressing of fertilizer at that time.

The cost of fertilizing the orchards is becoming a serious question to our fruit growers. To help them to do this economically and from materials within their own resources shall be our aim.

"I was traveling by buggy through one "I was traveling by buggy through one of the most prosperous counties of Illinois," said a New York commercial tourist, "and I met an odd|character in the person of an old farmer who was determined to be pleased at nothing. The old man was standing leaning against the barnyard gate as I drove up. Seeing a well in the inclosure, I asked the tiller of the soil if I might have a drink therefrom. He gruffly assented, and, hitching my horse, I was soon cooling my thirsty throat with as cool, clear, pure water as I ever tasted. I complimented the old man on the water, and a colloquy something like this followed. and a colloquy something like this fol-

lowed:
"'That's splendid water,' said I.
"'Ye-es, but it's so darned hard the
wimmen folk have to break it with an ax then they want to wash 'You have a fine, large farm here.'

"You have a nne, large farm neve."
"It's so goll darned big that it takes all
I can raise to pay the taxes."
"I notice you have splendid crops this year.'
"Yes, the crops is putty good, but then "Yes, the crops is putty good crops, and

res, the crops is putry good, but then everybody is got just as good crops, and nobody won't get nothin for it.'
"This is fine barvest weather.'
"Putry good harvest weather, but powerful bad on hay. Grass won't grow nohow while it stays dry like this.'
"You seem to have good health yourself.'

"'Can't complain o' my health, but it

can't complain o my nealth, but it keeps my appetite so powerful that I eat more'n a hired man.'

"Disgusted with a man who considered good health and a 'powerful' appetite things to kick about I drove on. If that man dies and by any chance gets into heaven he'll be kicking before he's been there an hour that his harp is out of tune and that his halo doesn't fit him."—Chica-

. POMONA.

The Public Library Doing Excellent Service for the People.

The Tug-of-war Teams Getting into Trim Another Generous Offer in Connection with the Land Title Trouble-

Notes and Personals.

[THE TIMES branch office for Pomona is in the real estate room of French & Lawrence, where news items, advertisements, and sub-scriptions are received.]

The Pomona public library is doing an reckellent service for the people in the free reading-room it maintains, where all the most valuable publications are kept on file and within reach of all who may desire to make use of them. The list of periodicals for 1892 has been prepared and a large number ordered for the files of the reading-room. The list is a 7cod one and there is room. The list is a good one, and there is but little in the field of current literature that is desirable that is not included in the

library list.

PREPARING TO PULL.

The tug-of-war teams are getting in trim for the great pull as rapidly as possible. Two of the teams, the mechanics, consisting of Messrs. Hollenbeck. Foss, Sheckler, Sears, Dobbs, Hartnett and their captain, F. O. Slanker, and Co. D. team, consisting of Messrs. Parker, Pedley, Woodward, Soto, Martin and Hughes and their captain, J. W. Lorbeer, have been "taken," and large photos of them placed in the store windows. They are all muscular fellows with well-They are all muscular fellows with well-knit frames, and promise to make the pull interesting.

CHRISTMAS SERVICE.

The Christmas service held at McComas The Christmas service held at McComas Hall Sunday morning by the Unitarians was a very impressive affair. The service was conducted by Rev. Leslie W. Sprague, and consisted of interesting exercises. The sermon was a most hopeful and encouraging one and the music very fine. Eleven new members were received into fellowship in the church.

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MORE GENEROSITY.

The good feeling of the people in the happy wind-up of the land title trouble is being shown in their liberality toward one another. Following upon the offer of the Los Angeles Abstract Company to give deeds with full description of the property and certificate of title to the owners free of charge, comes the announcement of and certificate of title to the owners free of charge, comes the announcement of Judge W. D. Morton and H. S. Finney that their services as notaries in taking acknowledgement of these deeds will be given free also. This brings to a happy close without further cost the splendid work begun of clearing absolutely the titles to land in this valley, and at a saving to the people through having pursued this method of not less than \$125,000. Truly it was a splendid stroke of policy.

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After today city taxes become delinquent.
Rev. Leslie W. Sprague preached at Ontario yesterday afternoon.
The Unity Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Howland this evening.
Bell Franklin, Clay Franklin and Fred Austin are in from Celton visiting friends.
Rev. O. Clute preached in San Bernardino yesterday, but returned to Pomona last evening.

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The Armory boys have secured the Russell company for the attraction at the operahouse tonight.

President Baldwin brings back from the East a report very encouraging for the future of Pomona College.

There was quite a storm upon the summit of Old Baldy and the surrounding mountains yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. L. Howland has sumiciently recovered from a cold. contacted at San Diego, recently, to leave her room.

Special Christmas services were held in the churches yesterday, and the streets were deserted during the hour of services.

The Pomona Land and Water Company has rented the remaining room in the Union Block, and will occupy its new quarters by the end of the week.

There is often a larger show of personal liberty in New York than can be seen in any country town. This liberty sometimes borders on objectionable license, but it is viewed with great lenieucy by both the city authorities and public. Porty or fifty college boys can raise more of a rumpus. coinge boys can raise more of a rumpus on Broadway or in a metropolitan theater with perfect impunity than would be tolerated even in a college town. The other day I saw at least that many young men marching alongs Broadway at its most crowided portion, near the postoffice, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, blowing the horns and shouring and yelling like a lot of Commarche Indians.

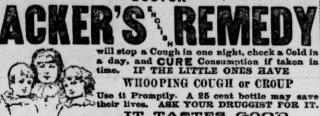
of Comauche Indians.

There was nothing in the time or in the day when such a demonstration might be expected or winked at. They had simply been to a society meeting. Yet all this noise was deemed necessary. They swept the sidewalk of ordinary business people and compelled the floating business world to stand still for the time being. Next to taking practical possession of a crowded theater and running the play, or swarming about a leading hotel until the managers are obliged to shat up the bar and drive them out with the aid of the police, this performance is most popular.—New York Herald. of Comauche Indians.

A Good Judge of Woods.

A local builder visited a celebrated artist of the impressionist school to receive directions about a house the latter was building on Long Island. He found Mr. — at his studio, and the artist took great pains to show the contractor what he considered his best treasures. "How did you like Mr. — 's pictures?" some one asked the man afterward. "Weil," he answered, "I thought the frames were beautiful, but I didn't think much of the pictures."—New York Tribune.

WHY DO YOU COUGH?



IT TASTES GOOD.

PURE PINK PILLS.

DR. ACKER'S ENGLISH PILLS

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H. M. SALE & SON, 220 S. Spring.

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Special rates to families and permanent guests. F. A. Shepard, Manager.

Lifting Skirts on a Rainy Day.

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It is very amusing on a rainy day to watch the way the women pick up their skirts now that so few of the gowns are made to clear the grime and slime of the streets—nearly all of them being of that uncomfortable length which is neither one thing nor the other. By far the greater majority of women reach behind and grasp wildly at some perfect of their dresses in a majority of women reach behind and grasp wildly at some portion of their dresses in a feeble, abortive way which is an unconscious betrayal of character. They appear to seize the folds by instinct just at the wrong place, lifting up part of the drapery to an absurd height just in one place, with the rest of the skirt trailing on the ground on either skie. Another favorite and more efficacious way is to seize the gown on both sides, and, regardless of appearances, to lift it high above the ankles; but even this heroic method generally leaves some forgotteu portion hanging in leaves some forgotten portion hanging in

There is one and one only way of manag-ing the presentskirt in bad weather, which despite the length has its good points in scarcity of folds and light lining, making it really easy to carry comfortably, making it really easy to carry comfortably if properly understood. Fortunately the long peti-coat is a thing of the past, and it is not diffi-cult with the left hand to reach behind to the right side and gather all the fullness together; then bringing the folds around to the left, this raises the short part of the skirt to the top of the boots, and it is very skirt to the top of the boots, and it is very easy to carry the light folds of the train in the left hand, while the right is free to

"When I would do good," said the apos-tle, "evil is present with me," and what was true in St. Paul's day is true now. Every man has two men in him, and the question is, which shall get the upper hand? A man who was in what are called "pretty good circumstances," but who was not by nature of a generous turn, met a poor old woman while out for his aftern woman white out for his atternoon ride on horseback. Shestepped in front of him, and, in Scripture language, "asked an alms." It was easier to give something than to refuse alrogether, and he dropped a quar-ter into her hand and rode on. Presently

ter into her hand and rode on. Fresently he began to soliloquize:
"After all, now, shouldn't I have done better if I had kept that quarter and hought myself something? How do I know that the old beggar wasn't a humber?"

bug?"
When his meditations had gone thus far he wheeled his horse around and rode back quickly to where the old woman was

standing.

"Give me back that money," he said.

She handed it to bim without a word, wondering what sort of a customer she had fallen in with. He put the coin into his wallet, and at the same time took out of it a five dollar bill, which he passed to the

beggar.
"There, self," said he, "I guess you'll wish you'd kept still."—Youth's Compan-

Perfection in musical instruments is generally the result of skilled workmanship, and it is comparatively rare that new metal is discovered that will improve the tone of an instrument. Since, howthe tone of an instrument. Since, now-ever, aluminium has been found suitable for almost every purpose and an improve-ment on every known metal for each, ex-periments have been made by more than one thoughtful inventor with a view to ascertain whether it could not be used to

ascertain whether it could not be used to advantage in making music creating in-struments.

That these experiment have been crowned with success is now reported in inside circles, and in both pianos and violins the new metal has been used to al lins the new metal has been used to alleged advantage. In the piano it certainly does produce satisfactory results, with every possibility of lasting qualities, and perhaps in the violin it is the same, though to a man who looks upon a violin with something of a sacred glance this appears doubtful. Still the inventor's claim is such a strong and evidently genuine one that it cannot be ignored by even the most skepti cal.—P. S. Gilmore in St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Servitude in Dress Clothes

The swellest New York hotels require their elevator boys to wear dress suits. To be cast in a dress suit before 6 o'clock is the mark of servitude. No gentleman wears a dress suit before 6 o'clock; consewears a dress soft before 6 o'clock; consequently, during the day at least, the elevator boy is no gentleman. As the elevator boy is often a tough looking individual, over twenty years of age, perhaps it is better not to mention this fact to him. The ter not to mention this fact to him. The average elevator boy is the smart office boy magnified nine hundred diameters. Practically he owns the hotel and runs it on the perpendicular to suit himself.

I invariably approach the elevator boy with a feeling of respect slightly discolored with awe. If I only knew what that boy theore what there of my kind I could

with awe. If I only knew what that boy knows, what stories of my kind I could write! And if this abnormal knowledge were supplemented by what that boy thinks he knows I would be great. The Goddess of Liberty in the harbor couldn't hold her electric candle to me. There are people who will walk up anything less than four pairs of stairs rather than meet that coid, calculating, contemptuous glance of the omniscient electron to w.—New York

Norman English.

Norman English is much more used in America in ordinary conversation than in England, where, among the cultured classes, Saxon English greatly predominates. For example, an American would say "return" when an Englishman would say "come back." We generally use "receive" where the English simply "get," and so on to any extent. People who are self conscious in their culture are apt to use the Norman derivatives almost altogether. Just now it is the fashion to be offhand in modes of expression, and the genteelly elegant phrases of those who are not people of the world sound stilted and old fashioned. This, however, does not apply to writing, where more ornate diction is permissible.—New York Tribune.

BIUNJEF-At Azusa, December 27, John Biunjef, aged 48 years, 2 months, 12 days, a native of Germany. Funeral at 2 p.m. Tuesday, December 29. BURGOS—Juana Villafranco de Burgos, aged 77 years, a native of Arsanton, France, died Sunday, December 27, 18.1.

Funeral today at 2 p.m. from the late residence, No. 510 Buena Vista street, thence to the Catholic Church on the Plaza. Friends are requested to attend without further notice.

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Take Grand ave. cable cars or Main st and
Agricultural Park horse cars.
FOR REDONDO: FOR LOS ANGELES: *7:00 a m *8:40 a m *11:25 a m *4:10 p m *8:50 a m *10:05 a m *1:35 p m *5:35 p m

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Running time between Los Angeles and Sedondo. 50 minutes. Redondo, 50 minutes.
City ticket office at A. B. Greenwald's cigar
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Connecting with Grand ave, cole care and
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JAS. N. SULTION, Supt.

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December 7, 1891.
Trains leave and are due to arrive at Los
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Local and through tickets soid, baggage checked, Pullman sleeping car reservations made, and general information given upon application to J. M. Crawley, Assistant Gen-eral Passenger Agent, No. 200 S. Spring st., corner Second. Charles Seyler, Agent at

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COMPANY
Los Angeles depots, east end of First street
and Downey avenue bridges. Leave Los Angeles Leave Pasadena for for Pasadena. Los Angeles.

Downey avenue leaving time, 7 minutes later. Running time between Los Angeles and Pasadena 30 minutes. Leave Los Angeles Leave Altadena for for Altadena

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*7:30 a m \$12:00 m *4:00 p m *10:30 a m §1:30 p m *5:30 p m Between Los Angeles and Long Beach, 55 minutes: between Los Angeles and East San Pedro, I hour; between East San Pedro and Long Beach, 10 minutes. *Daily. †Daily except Sunday. Sundays nly. Special rates to excursion and picnic par

Special rates to the S:03 a.m. train at Pasa-ties. Stages meet the S:03 a.m. train at Pasa-dena for Wilson's Peak via new trail. Depots east end First street and Downey avenue bridges. General offices: First st. depot. T. B. BURNETT. Gen. Mngr. W. WINCUP, G. P. A.

SOUTHERN ROUTES. Time Table for December, 1891. LEAVE SAN FRANCISCO

| LEAVE SAN PEDBO AND REDONDO. | For | S. Pomona, Dec. 4, 13, 22, ewport. | 31, Jan 9. | S. Corona, Dec. 8, 17, 26, Jan. 4. San Francisco... S. S. Pomona, Dec. 6, 15, 24, Port Harford... S. S. Corona, Dec. 1, 10, 19, Santa Barbara... 28, Jan. 4.

Cars to connect with steamers via San Peror leave S. P. R. R. depot. Fifth street. Los Angeles at 9:25 am. Passengers per steamer Corona and Pomona via Redondo, northoonac, trave Santa Fe depot at 10:15 am. Passengers per Coos Bay and February and Corona and Granda way depot.

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W. PARRIS, AGENA



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At the regular meeting of Court Morris Vineyard, No. 532, L.O.O.F., held on Saurarday evening George Coulson, the chief ranger, was presented by the members with a beautiful Maltese cross, the emblem of the order, as a token of their appreciation of his services to the court during his two terms of office as chief ranger. The presentation was made by Dr. F. M. Parker in a very appropriate speech, which received the hearty applause of the members of the court, to which the chief ranger responded very feelingly.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The Weather.
U. S. Weather Office. Los Angeles, Dec. 17, 1891.—At 5:07 a.m. the barometer registered 30.2; at 5:07 p.m. 30.17. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 43° and 10°. Maximum temperature, 60°: minimum temperature, 40°. Rainfall for past 24 hours: Trace. Cloudy.

INDICATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO. Dec. 27.—Forecast till 8 p. m. Sunday for Southern Calfornia: Rain in the western and northern portions; east-trly winds backing to cooler and westerly winds.

Dewey's \$5 cabinet photos reduced to \$3.50 Two first-class front rooms on third floor of Times building are for rent.

Japanese Bazaar, No. 248 South Spring Breet. Greatest variety and lowest prices
The Koster Cafe is run by the Koster Baking Company, so famous for its fine bread, takes, pies, etc. The location is 140 South Spring street.

Dr. H. C. Royer, lessee and manager of the amous Arrowhead Hot Springs, will be at the office of the Hammam Baths, 230 South in street, on Monday and Tuesday, De-

Main street, on Monday and Tuesday, De-tember 28 and 29, from 1 to 4 p.m. each day, where all who desire may consult him in re-gard to this celebrated resort.

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PERSONALS.

W. D. Grady and wife of Fresne are at ered at the Nadeau

simon will of Cincinnati and S. J. Chadrick of Chicago are at the Nadeau.
Frank B. Fanning, ex-chief deputy in the tounty Clerk's office, but who was combelled to resign his position on account of bad health, left yesterday for Lathrop, on a visit to Mrs. Fanning's brother, Fred Lindon.

Let Your Hens Sit, as it is Essential to

[Farm and Fireside.]

The best results are obtained from bens that are allowed to sit than when they are prevented from incubating. When the hen goes on her nest to sit the does so for the purpose of using the fact of her bedy to improve head to be the second to the purpose of the property of the second to the purpose of the property of the second to the purpose of the property of the second to the purpose of the property of the pro at of her body to impart heat to the ggs, and as she seldom leaves the nest to feed she becomes reduced in flesh by the time the eggs are hatched. She also secures rest and recuperates As a rule a sitting hen is nearly always fat, and to prevent her from sitting simply keeps her in a condition unfavorable to keeps her in a condition unfavorable to laying. There are times, however, when no chicks are desired. In such cases let the hen go on the nest, giving her a few porcelain eggs. Do not break her from sitting, as she will soon become broody again and will lay but few agas hefore going on the nest a second eggs before going on the nest a second time, but if kept on the nest two or three weeks and then "broken up," she il come off in excellent condition for laying, and will lay more eggs than she would have done if prevented from sitting, including the time lost in incubation, and she will not become broody until she is in fat condition again.

Every 100 pounds of grain sold from farm makes it poorer by two pounds of ash... A carload of butter, at 35 cents or ash. A carload of butter, at 35 cents per pound, will bring as much money as thirty-five carloads of corn at 60 cents per bushel. The corn will carry off from the soil two-thirds of a carload of mineral plant-food. The butter nothing. Land grows poor by exporting grain. It can grow rich while exporting butter.—[New York Live Stock Journal.]

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

BISMARK biscuits at H. Jevne's EVERETT PIANOS.

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"yes," broke in the listener, becoming instantly attentive, "would be worth to you—"

"More than a dozen speeches in its favor, on account of the moral effect it would have."

"Um—yes," rejoined the alderman from the Steenth Ward, relapsing at once into his former apathy.

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Restores tired brains.
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NOTICE.

Miss McCarthy's Millinery

Establishment

At 307 S. SPRING ST., has been bought by G. A. Neth. The establishment will hereafter be known as the "Delight Millinery and Dressmaking Parlors." Miss Williams has been appointed general manager. All goods will be sold at cost to make room for an entire fresh stock.

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MUM'S THE WORD.

Mysterious Movements of Prominent Eastern Detectives.

hree Noted Thief-catchers in the City One Man Placed Under Arrest-Strict Silence All Along the Line.

For several days past Detectives Rob-erts and Hawley of Pinkerton's agency, and Detective Whittier of San Francisco have been in the city. Just what their mission was no one seems to know They have been at the police station several times, but none of the local officers seem to know what their business was, or, if they do, they refuse to talk, and nothing can be learned in that

quarter. Saturday one J. H. Denton, who recently purchased a saloon on Alameda street, the transfer being granted at.
the last meeting of the Police Commis-B. Hough and wife, George Wilson, Jesse L. Butler.

Last evening between 5 and 6 o'clock a slight rain commenced falling and continued during the greater-part of the night. The precipitation was very small, however, hardly laying the dust.

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street, the transfer being granted at. Street, the stating of the Police Commission, was taken in charge by the officers and locked up at the city prison. He was not booked, and nothing could be learned as to the charges against him, if act the officers denied that there was any such man in their custody. Be this as it may, it is certain that some man was arrested and kept locked up for some time, and vesterday it was reported that he had been taken north by the detectives. At any rate, he was not be oked, and no in their custody. Be this as it may, it is certain that some time, and vesterday it was reported that he had been taken north by the detectives. At any rate, he was not booked, and no in their custody. Be this as it may, it is certain that some and was arrested and kept locked up for some time, and vesterday it was reported that he had been taken north by the detectives. At any rate, he was not booked, and no in their city prison. He was not booked, and no that get as the locked up at the city prison. He was not booked, and no that city prison. He was not booked, and no that city prison. He last meeting of the Police Commission, was taken in charge by the charge at the city prison. He was not booked, and no that cell

Pinkerton is not generally employed on minor crimes, and the expense of sending two of his best operatives to this Coast from the home office is no inconsiderable item, but the secret has been closely guarded by those who know it, and absolutely nothing has so far leaked out.

One theory is that Denton is wanted in the East for some crime and that it is of sufficient importance to send across the continent for him, but whether it is the continent for him, but whether it is for some old offense or for something of recent date is only conjecture. Only one thing is positively known, and that is there are quite a number of Eastern crooks in the city at this time and among them are some expert safe-crackers, and it may be that the detectives are out here looking after them on general principles. general principles.

20 Per Cent Discount. It is possible that the mystery may be solved in the course of the present

ALL ABOUT A DOG.

Short But Lively "Scrap" at Westlake Park Yesterday Afternoon. A lively little "scrap" took place at

Westlake Park yesterday afternoon between Detective Emil Harris and one of the park employés named White. Capt. Harris and his brother Max were walking around the park, followed by the captain's pug dog. It is against the rules of the park to allow dogs in its limits except on chain, and when White saw the pug making himself at home he gathered up some rocks and began to throw at the dog. This proceeding aroused the ire of the owner, and he vigorously protested, when White started toward him, still holding one of the rocks in his hand. Harris ordered White to throw down the rock, and when the latter refused to do so. and when the latter refused to do so jumped on the park man and downed him in short order. Secretary Howard, of the Park Commission, was attracted by the disturbance, and rushed to the spot, when he grabbed Harris by the collar and pulled him off White. Howard was very quiet about the matter, but deter-mined, and, after telling Harris he was an officer, demanded to know what the row was about. Harris still showed fight, and finally dared Howard to arrest him, whereupon the big secretary promptly grabbed him by the coat col-lar and started for the cars for the purpose of taking his prisoner to the station. Harris then cooled down, and station. Harris then cooled down, and on giving his name was allowed to go. This morning Howard will swear to a complaint charging Harris with disturbing the peace, and the case will be ventilated in the Police Court. Harris claims that White acted very

roughly about the matter, and says if he had been told that he was violating the rules he would have removed his dog, and there would have been no trouble. At any rate, had it not been for the big secretary it is more than probable that White would have been hurt, as Harris is something of an athlets and had not rouble in getting averting. lete and had no trouble in getting away with him.

CLEARANCE SALE

OF MILLINERY

AT MOZART'S, 240 S. Spring st. Fancy quills, each \$.01 Baby ribbon, 10-yard piece ... No. 5 pink and blue, yard..... No. 22 wide ribbon, vard Elegant black brocade ribbon, yard20 CLEARANCE SALE OF TRIMMED WORK.

Handsome jet beaded velvet toques, usual prices ranging from \$5 to \$7, have been re duced to a clearance price of \$3 and \$3.50. . It will pay you to look at the Millinery and prices during the clearance sale at

MOZART'S, 240 S. SPRING ST.

DECKER BROS.' PIANOS

Wind Mills. wind Mills.

wind did great damage and we are bared to supply parties with the Perkins di mill, who had their mills wrecked durthe last storm. Write for prices, lithophs and descriptions of the mill.

HAWLEY, KING & CO., Los Angeles.

FRANK X. ENGLER, Piano maker, tuner and regulator, 316 W.2d

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion Constipation. Dizziness, Loss of appetite Yellow Skin; Shiloh's vitalizer is a positive cure. Wholesale by Haas, Baruch & Co.; and all retail druggists. A SPECIALTY.

Our repairing and tuning department.
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MUSIC Co.,
111 North Spring street.

HERE'S a store in Los Angeles under a hill,

Did it ever occur to you?

Where one might run up quite a large clothing bill;

Did it ever occur to you?

It stands on the corner of Temple and Spring
In order the trade of the people to bring,

Now the prices it has in your ears will ring;

Did it ever occur to you?

That the people it sells are most always content,
Did it ever occur to you?

To spend all their money down to their last cent; Did it ever occur to you?

They are treated so well that they soon come again,
And the word goes around to the b'g upper ten,
So it soon is supplying some very big men;
Did it ever occur to you?

That this is the place where you always should buy; Did it ever occur to you?

That the prices are such as would cause you to sigh;
Did it ever occur to you?

When you think of the money you've paid out of yore;
When you've purchased your clothing at some others

That these are the thoughts that do constantly bore;
Did it ever occur to you?

This store in the clothing line takes the first rank,
Did it ever occur to you?

And is owned by two gentlemen—HARRIS & FRANK;
Did it ever occur to you?

They use up b g space in the LOS ANGELES TIMES,
For they know that s one way to bring in the dimes,
And they have clothing suited to wear in all climes;
Did it ever occur to you?

In the course of this life that we're all passing through, In the course of this life that we're all passing through,
Did it ever occur to you?

That you've made many purchases which you will rue;
Did thever occur to you?

If you bay of the store your worries will cease,
So that you may enjoy this great world in peace
And you find that your income is on the increase—
Did it ever occur to you?

That this is the store where they sell for one price;
Did it ever occur to y u?
And that they have goods that will always suffice,
Did it ever occur to you?
To please the young dudes who on street corners stand,
And the brawny day workmen or tillers of land,
And also the magnates who have lots of sand;
Did it ever occur to you?

Now if you are in need of a good overcoat,
Did it ever occur to you?

To let these proprietors their prices quote,
Did it ever occur to you?

For a fine full dress suit to them you should go,
And their styles of hats and all neckwear know;
Now you'll always fare well with the "Old London Co."
Did it ever occur to you? Did it ever occur to you?



These lines were sent to us by a young friend from Pomona since our Prize Contest and entirely gratuitous on his part. He evidently thinks it should "occur to you" that we are the people to buy cloth-

LONDON Clothing Co.,

Corner Temple and Spring sts.

RAISE ... Some Lemons.

NOWING ones predict that lemons are the coming crop. So as to be in the swim and in position to catch the wind when it comes, secure some of the East Whittier tract and put it out in lemons and when others are reading rich rewards in the lemon line you'll be with them on the flood tide to fortune. Experts have pronounced the East Whittier Tract especially adapted to this crop. Rich deep soil, warm south and southeast frontage, with the Puente Hills on the north and northeast; practically frostless, one can raise all kinds of vegetables and small fruits the year round between the rows while the trees are growing. The lemon trees begin bearing the third year We don't ask you to take our word for it, but come and examne. We can show you 3-year Eureka lemon trees loaded with finest fruit; orange trees not yet 3 years out with more than a box of finest fruit; orange trees not yet 3 years out with more than a box of finest fruit; orange trees not yet 3 years out with more than a box of fine navels now hanging on a single tree. If such results can be sh wn with no water, what may be expected with plenty of fine soft water?

No Sage Brush, Stones, or Cactus to clear away,

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